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## NO MEN TO GO FROM HERE IN THIRD QUOTA.

Neither Paris nor Bourbon county will be required to send any men in the third increment of drafted men which is scheduled to go to Camp Zachary Taylor for training in the national army between October 2 and October 7.

Following the notice issued Monday from the office of the Adjutant General reducing the number to go on this third increment from forty to twenty per cent, a communication from the same office was received by the district board at Lexington late Wednesday night setting the number of men who will be required to go from each of the local boards under its jurisdiction on or about October 4.

The action on the part of the adjutant general in eliminating Fayette, Bourbon, Clark, Franklin and Montgomery counties is to secure an evenness in the quotas from the various counties.

## MR. FRANK COLLIER HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

Mr. Frank Collier, proprietor of the Woodlawn Dairy, near Paris, figured in an accident near the Louisville & Nashville tracks near Paris, Tuesday that might have had a more serious end for him.

Mr. Collier's machine collided with Louisville & Nashville train No. 10, from Lexington to Maysville, the automobile being torn into shreds. He had been driving the car over the Clay farm for the purpose of inspecting some stock, when the car, rounding a curve, came on the railroad tracks. As it reached the track the engine "went dead," and Mr. Collier was not able to get it started again.

Just at this time the train, No. 10, due in Maysville at 9:50 a. m., rounded the sharp curve and came upon the stalled car so suddenly that neither the engineer nor Mr. Collier were able to do anything. Mr. Collier jumped from the car just as the engine, at full speed, dashed into the stalled automobile and smashed it into small pieces. Mr. Collier escaped unhurt, but had a close call. On account of the sharp curve of the track at that point neither the driver of the car nor the engineer could tell what was going to happen. The accident was clearly unavoidable.

A colored man who was in the machine with Mr. Collier jumped after hearing Mr. Collier's warning cry, and also escaped injury. The accident happened near the N. H. Bayless farm near New Forest, which Mr. Collier has leased.

## MISS BRECKINRIDGE TO SPEAK HERE ON WAR.

Telling of some of her thrilling experiences near the fighting zone in France, where she spent several months as a Red Cross nurse, Miss Curry Breckinridge, one of Lexington's most charming and cultured women, will deliver an address to the people of Paris and Bourbon county at the court house on next Monday afternoon, October 1, at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Breckinridge has seen many startling sights on the battlefields of France, and has the natural ability to tell in a most charming and eloquent way of these things. She will speak here under the auspices of the City Federation of Clubs, and it is hoped that our people will greet her with a large audience, such as she deserves. The public is cordially invited to hear this gifted speaker.

## SERGEANT ALEXANDER MCCLINTOCK TO ISSUE WAR BOOK.

The articles written by Sergeant Alexander McClintock of his experiences in the trenches in Europe, under the title of "Over There," and which was recently published in THE NEWS, have been compiled into book form, with additional matter and will be published in this country on September 29. Sergeant McClintock calls his book "The Best of Luck." The title has its origin in the pass word which is given to the men as they go over the top to attack the enemy.

The book is certain to be a most tremendous success, and Kentucky will have another reason to be proud of her son. Young McClintock was recently offered a position as war correspondent with a very flattering salary, but declined, and instead is teaching the boys at Plattsburg the art of bomb throwing. He is taking the same severe training as the men, and in spite of his serious injury from shrapnel, not quite a year ago, seems to be standing up under it well.

## FOUR MEN NEEDED TO FILL HOSPITAL UNIT.

With only four men needed to complete the roster of one hundred and fifty-three, which will make up the Hospital Corps of Base Hospital No. 40, and both the medical and nurses' corps fully organized the complete organization of Dr. Barrow's hospital unit for service in France is expected to be complete this week. A butcher, baker and two telegraph operators are still needed to complete the unit.

On the enlistment of these men, Dr. Barrow will report to the Surgeon General that the unit is ready for service. Orders to report at a training camp, the selection of which has not yet been announced from Washington, are expected to follow shortly thereafter.

## COAL SITUATION UNCHANGED.

The coal situation in Paris remains very much the same as last reported—very little coal in the yards, and no prospect of replenishing stocks under the existing order of things at the mines. There is a good demand for coal in both large and small quantities, but the dealers will not be able to supply in large quantities very long.

A Paris traveling man, who makes the territory surrounding Williamsburg and in the vicinity of the Jellico mines, stated to THE NEWS man Wednesday night that while in that part of the country a short time ago he had a talk in a country store with a man who is interested in the coal mining business near Jellico. When asked as to the situation the mine-owner replied:

"Well, I don't believe there is any prospect for a decline in price and there is no telling just how long this strike is going to continue. You see most of these mines are on spurs of the railroads and the mines own the spurs. The Government can fix the price of coal at the mines, but the operators can get partly even by making larger charges for hauling the coal to the railroads. This is simply a case of 'whipping the devil around the stump,' but it may work all right for a while."

Maj. E. S. Helburn, member of the Third District Exemption Board, and a prominent coal operator in the Kentucky-Tennessee district, where 17,000 miners are now on strike, makes the assertion that German agencies are behind the strike movement, and that if these agitators were hunted out and dealt with severely the men would return to work. Telegrams have been sent to President Wilson, Secretary of Labor Wilson and all the Kentucky Congressmen appealing for aid and relief.

The Kentucky Utilities Company at Lexington, which furnishes light and power for Paris and other Kentucky towns, regards the situation as very serious. Two carloads of coal consigned to the Lexington Brick Company have been taken over by the Louisville & Nashville railroad. Relief is promised by the Chesapeake & Ohio road by shipments over their lines for this week.

## YOM KIPPUR OBSERVED BY JEWS IN PARIS.

Yom Kippur, the Jewish Day of Atonement, was celebrated by members of the Jewish faith in Paris, Tuesday, by closing of all stores owned by member of the faith. Orthodox members observed the day by fasting in their homes. Many went to Lexington, where services were conducted at the Maryland Avenue Temple by Rabbi Krohngold.

Yom Kippur is the holiest day observed by members of the Jewish faith, representing as it does the cleansing of the soul from the sins of the past year and the making of peace with his fellow-men and with God.

## LIFE IN THE NAVY.

Mr. Jos. Letcher, of Paris, former newspaper man, who is now stationed at Paris Island, S. C., in the U. S. Marine Corps, writes an interesting letter to Paris friends, telling of experiences in the service, which he likes very much as far as he has gone.

Mr. Letcher is a graduate of the Paris High School, and a stepson of Mr. J. W. Mallory, of Twentieth street. He was on the Cincinnati Enquirer and the Columbus, O., Monitor, where he was sporting writer for several months. He is a splendid young man, and his friends hope he will rise in the service.

## CANNOT EMPLOY CHILD LABORERS.

The merchants, storekeepers and others who employ help have been sent warning by the labor inspectors, with headquarters at Louisville, that any one found to have in his employ a child under fourteen years of age, is violating the Child Labor Law, and the employer and the parents of the child are subject to a fine of from \$25 to \$50 for the first offense, and those who employ help between the ages of fourteen and sixteen without the written consent of the Board of Education, are subject to a fine of from \$15 to \$50.

## BIG CROWDS ATTEND OPENING OF DOUGLAS PARK.

All records for opening day attendance were broken at the Douglas Park race track near Louisville, Wednesday, when a crowd that filled every available nook and seat and took up all the room in the paddock and outfield, gathered to witness the races, which furnished an excellent card.

The winners were: First race—Jedra, time 1:08 1-5; second race—Prince of Como, time 1:11 4-5; third race—Cleek, time 1:45; fourth race—Pan Zaretta, time 1:12 1-5; fifth race—Cudgel, time 1:45 1-5; sixth race—Ocean Sweep, time 1:06 4-5; seventh race—Brymlimah, time 1:46 2-5.

## RECEIVES COMMISSION.

A commission as Second Lieutenant in the United States Army has been received by Dr. Chester E. Wood, of Hutchison. Dr. Wood, who recently graduated from the Cincinnati Veterinary College, is expecting an early call to service in the veterinary branch of the Officers' Reserve Corps.

## PARIS WOMEN'S CLUBS RESUME MEETINGS.

The two literary clubs of Paris, the Progressive Culture and the Paris Literary, have resumed their regular meetings, after a summer vacation. At the meeting of the Progressive Culture Club, held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Frank O'Neill, papers were read on the subject of "The History of the Red Cross," by Mrs. Walter Clark, and "The American Ambulance," by Mrs. J. Taylor Sharrard. The members of the Club devoted a considerable portion of their time to knitting for the Red Cross work. The officers of the Club are as follows: President—Mrs. Amos Turney; first vice-president—Mrs. George Stuart; second vice-president—Mrs. Thos. A. Hendricks; recording secretary—Miss Corinne Collins; corresponding secretary—Mrs. H. E. Foster; treasurer—Mrs. J. W. Bacon.

At the meeting of the Paris Literary Club, held the same afternoon at the home of Misses Winnie and Lottie Williams, on Pleasant street, Prof. Charles Freeman, of Transylvania College, addressed the club in lieu of a regular program on Canada and Alaska, which will be the Club topic for the year. Prof. Freeman gave a word picture of Parkman, the explorer and author. Mrs. Fanniebell Sutherland announced the engagement of Miss Curry Breckinridge, of Lexington, who has recently returned from the fighting zone in France, to speak to the people of Paris, especially the ladies, at the court house, on Monday afternoon, October 2, at 2:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to hear her. The members of the Club will sew for the American Red Cross the first Wednesday in each month as long as necessary, taking their lunch and holding regular meetings at 2:30 in the afternoon.

The officers of the Club are: President—Mrs. W. O. Hinton; first vice-president—Mrs. Wm. G. Talbott; second vice-president—Mrs. Thos. H. Clay, Jr.; secretary—Mrs. Amos Turney, Jr.; treasurer—Mrs. Nellie Fithian; auditor—Mrs. Harry B. Clay; program committee—Mrs. Charlton Alexander, Miss Nellie Fithian, Mrs. J. T. Vansant, Miss Lucy B. Simms, Mrs. Thos. H. Clay, Jr.

## THIRTY-CENT TOBACCO.

'Prospects are that tobacco will be very high this year, and while there will probably not be as much of the weed in the county this year as last, the farmers will not lose, as the prices are starting off unusually high. It is reported here that some offers have been made for crops at thirty cents, while many are reported at from eighteen to twenty-five cents per pound. The farmers are busy housing their crops, and in a few weeks will begin the work of getting it ready for the sales when the warehouses open for the season.

## THIS MAY BE MEANS OF SOME BOYS COMING HOME.

An official order just issued from Washington may be the means of sending some of the Bourbon county boys back from the training camps. This order proposes a "nerve test" to determine whether the enlisted man's nerves may be able to withstand the severe shock and strain due to artillery fire and bombardment.

To this end a commission of medical officers, all specialists, are coming to Louisville to conduct the tests. The commission will be composed of several alienists and neurologists who offered their services to the Government at the beginning of the war, and were given commissions in the medical section of the Officers' Reserve Corps. The idea is that the United States Government, taking advantage of the lessons learned by the warring nations, does not intend to send men to the front whose nerves are so highly strung that the first engagement would drive them insane.

When bursting shells strike dangerously near and when men are subjected to heavy bombardment for many hours without relief, the best of nerves will break, leaving the once sane specimen of manhood a raving lunatic.

Hundreds of nervous men, however, would go mad from the shock caused by the firing of their own artillery, and it is the intention of the Government to weed them out immediately.

The details of the tests are confidential and will not be made public. Medical officers at the camp said that no definite information had been received as to the date the commission would arrive, but that it would probably be soon after the entire quota has been received. They will make a tour of every cantonment where troops are being trained, and the tests will occupy several weeks.

## WE ADVISE EARLY BUYING

In view of conditions, it is to your advantage to buy now, and buy your whole winter supply of clothing. Good all-wool suits \$15 up.

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## DON'T FORGET TO REGISTER NEXT TUESDAY, OCT. 2.

Owing to the fact that there have already been two registrations this year, both for special elections, many voters have formed the impression that they will not be required to register for the November election.

Every voter who expects or intends to vote in the regular election in November must register next Tuesday, Oct. 2. The voting booths in each city precinct will be open from six a. m. to nine p. m. Don't fail to register. It is absolutely necessary.

## REAL ESTATE DEALS.

George Broderick sold this week to Henry Dodge, Sr., nine acres of land lying on the Peacock pike, near Paris, for \$4,000. The tract has a good brick house and other improvements on it.

Mr. H. H. Potts, of near Plum Lick, has rented his lower farm, containing the house, orchard and 125 acres of grass land, to Mr. John D. Henry, of the same vicinity, for \$760. Mr. Henry will use the land for grazing purposes only. Mr. Potts rented the upper farm of fifty-nine acres to Mr. Throop Clark, five acres for tobacco, twelve acres for corn and the remainder to be used for grazing.

Mr. Catesby Woodford, Sr., as agent for Mrs. Sidney G. Clay, Sr., of Lexington, sold to Mr. Wm. H. Whaley, of Paris, 240 acres of land located on the Jacktown pike, adjoining the Millet place, formerly the Hilber place, now owned and occupied by Mr. Whaley as a home. Mr. Whaley is said to have paid about \$100 per acre for the land. This will give him 568 acres in the home farm.

Mr. Andrew J. Gorey has sold his farm of 256 acres, located near Taylorsville, in Spencer county, to a Winchester man for \$28,160. Mr. Gorey paid \$75 per acre for the farm last spring. He will retain possession until March 1, 1918, reserving sixteen acres of growing tobacco, forty acres of corn and all other crops on the place.

## PREPARE FOR WINTER—STOVES AND OTHER ESSENTIALS.

Full line of heating stoves and ranges, stove pipe, elbows, collars, smokers and shovels.

FARMERS SUPPLY COMPANY.

## KENTUCKY PRESS MEETING.

Lexington was chosen for the mid-winter meeting of the Kentucky Press Association at a meeting of the executive committee of that organization at Louisville recently. December 26 and 27 will be the dates.

For the purpose of uniting all publishers throughout the State in several matters which it is believed will be generally beneficial and economical, all publishers of dailies, weeklies and semi-weeklies, regardless of their membership in the association, will be urged to be present at the meeting.

A plan of co-operation along practical business lines will be worked out and presented to the newspaper men. This will include the establishment of one special agency to represent all the weekly papers in the foreign advertising field.

## NEW TRACTION-AGENT

Mr. J. E. Boufield, of Lexington, who has been temporarily in charge of the Paris office of the Kentucky Traction & Terminal Company, Wednesday turned over the affairs of the office to Mr. J. M. Smelser, of Paris, formerly of the L. & N. Mr. Smelser succeeds Mr. Harry Jeffers, who has been promoted to the general freight agency of the company in its Lexington office. Mr. Boufield has resumed his position in the Lexington office.

## B-4 FIRE Insure with W.O. HINTON & SON, AGTS

RESIDENCE BURNED.

The residence belonging to Claude Sephens, on Locust street, in Mt. Sterling, burned Tuesday morning at 3:30 o'clock. The house was completely gutted, and the loss is estimated at \$2,000.

## Fire, Wind and Lightning Insurance.

Thomas, Woodford & Bryan.

## BACK WRENCHED.

Mr. Allie Rowland, substitute mail carrier on rural route No. 1, out of Paris, while cranking his automobile Wednesday preparatory to starting out on his regular trip, wrenched his back, necessitating a lay-off. He was removed to his home, where medical aid was given him. He will be able to be at work in a few days.

## HAND MANGLED.

While adjusting some part of a gasoline engine on his farm near Clintonville, Wednesday, Squire Lee Stephenson had the misfortune to get his hand caught in the cogs. The member was badly mangled. Mr. Stephenson was removed to his home, where medical attention was given.

## DON'T FAIL TO REGISTER.

Tuesday, Oct. 2, will be registration day in Paris, and the date is close at hand. In order to have a vote in the November election it is absolutely necessary to have a registration certificate. Get yours. Polls open from six a. m. to nine p. m. for registration of voters in each ward.

## ADMINISTRATORS APPOINTED.

In the County Court Mr. George R. Davis was appointed as administrator of Celia Gray, with Mr. Rudolph Davis as surety.

Mrs. Ida A. Curtis was appointed to administer on the estate of Mrs. Jesse Adams Bishop, with Mr. Ben Bishop as surety.

## PARIS OIL & GAS COMPANY DEVELOPING TERRITORY.

The Paris Oil & Gas Co., of which Mr. D. N. Moss, of Calgary, Canada, is manager, which was recently incorporated, have a rig at work on the Bige Wise farm in Estill county, and will begin the work of drilling as soon as water can be piped to the location, which is about three hundred yards from the river.

The location is about one-half mile east of the Ashley tract, and is being watched with much interest by the oil fraternity, as it is in exceedingly good looking territory. They have also let the contract for another well on the same lease, and location has been made, and as soon as the rig, which is now in process of moving, is on the lease drilling will begin.

Since this company was incorporated about a month ago with a capital stock of \$10,000, they have taken up a number of leases in Estill, Powell and Lee counties, and have some good-looking territory which they will develop as rapidly as possible.

Mr. Moss has been in Winchester in consultation with a number of the oil men and representatives of the drilling supply houses. He says that the company is thinking of purchasing additional outfits in order to develop their territory which they have under lease, as it was almost impossible to secure the service of a driller.

The company is composed of Bourbon county and Paris capitalists, who are well up in the financial world and are considered as being among the best financiers of the country.

## MORE YARN RECEIVED FOR RED CROSS WORKERS.

Another large supply of yarn for the Red Cross knitters has been received and can be obtained at the home of Miss Stella Owens, on South Main street. Included in the shipment is a large supply of the khaki colored yarn, which has become so popular everywhere. This yarn is the same color and weight as the khaki material used in the clothing of the soldiers. Call at Miss Owens' residence for what yarn you will need for your knitting for the soldiers.

## HARVESTING POTATO CROPS ON TRACTION RIGHT OF WAY.

The Kentucky Traction and Terminal Company in compliance with President Wilson's request, had the right of way of the company planted in Irish potatoes. This week the section hands have been busy harvesting the crop. While the yield is not phenomenal it is said to be better than many other crops on adjoining farms, and the average size is fairly good.

## KEEP THE FENCES UP—WOVEN AND BARB WIRE, STAPLES.

We have all kinds of farm fence. Barb wire, staples, nails, etc.

FARMERS SUPPLY COMPANY.

## DIPHTHERIA CLOSING SCHOOLS.

The public schools of Carlisle have been closed indefinitely on account of the appearance of several cases of diphtheria. Several new cases have developed. The health authorities are using every means to prevent the disease assuming proportions of an epidemic.

Diphtheria and scarlet fever among school children have been causing some anxiety at Cynthiana. An examination was made Wednesday of pupils in several of the grades at the public school by physicians, and a number of children were sent home. There were no developed cases, but several had sore throats.

## FORMER PARISIAN SELLS GROCERY INTERESTS.

Mr. Gus Margolen, of Georgetown, a former resident of Paris, where he conducted a grocery and fruit business, has disposed of his grocery business in Georgetown to Mr. Wm. P. Warford, of Billings, Montana, and Mr. Preston Morris, of Georgetown, formerly one of the proprietors of the Sanitary Ice Cream Parlors, in Georgetown. The new owners will get possession of their purchase on November 10. Mr. Margolen will probably go into some other business.

## CHANGE OF BASE.

Mr. Wm. Marky, who has been stationed near Hutchison in charge of a local construction crew on the Louisville & Nashville, has been transferred to Maysville and with his family, has moved to that city to reside.

## PLEADS GUILTY.

In the United States District Court at Frankfort, George Majors, who was arrested in Paris as a "German spy," pleaded guilty to the charge of unlawfully wearing a United States Army uniform and was given a sentence. No evidence was adduced tending to support the theory that he was a "German spy."

## FEDERATION BOARD MEETING

The Governing Board of the Federation of Women's Clubs of Paris, will hold a meeting in the rest room of the First National Bank, at 2:30 o'clock to-morrow (Saturday) afternoon. All the members of the Board are asked to be present.

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## THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For State Senator—George Hon. of Clark County

For Representative—C. M. Thomas, of Bourbon County.

For Sheriff—Will G. McClintock.

For County Clerk—Pearce Paton.

For County Judge—George Batten.

For County Attorney—David D. Cline.

For County Superintendent of Schools—J. B. Caywood.

For Jailor—Thomas Taul.

For Assessor—Walter Clark.

For Coroner—Rudolph Davis, Paris.

For Magistrate—L. J. Fretwell, Paris Precinct; John N. Shropshire, Centerville Precinct; E. P. Thomason, Millersburg Precinct; Jno. S. Wiggins, Hutchison Precinct; R. O. Turner, Ruddles Mills Precinct; John S. Talbot, North Middletown Precinct; S. R. Burris, Little Rock Precinct; Lee Stephenson, Clintonville Precinct.

For Mayor—E. B. January.

For Chief of Police—W. Fred Link.

For Councilmen—First Ward—John Merringer, John Christman and Thos. Kiser; Second Ward—S. K. Nichols, J. J. Veatch and John Arkle; Third Ward—Geo. Doyle.

## EDITORIAL MUSINGS.

### Studying The War.

THE NEWS trusts its suggestion that the school children of Bourbon county devote some study to the war will not fall upon barren ground.

There is no other channel in which their minds can be turned with more profit to themselves and their nation.

War is uppermost in this country to-day, and with the active preparation of the United States increases as the struggle continues interest will naturally grow more acute.

The children should have the opportunity of being thoroughly conversant with the principal facts about it. They should know the causes which led the nation into war, the principal battles which have been fought, the commanders of the armies, and all the important details that a school history gives of the other wars in which the United States has been involved.

For them to know these things is to make their year in school infinitely more valuable from a practical standpoint, but above this consideration is the patriotism it inspires.

When the boys and girls of Bourbon county learn, from daily study, the righteousness of the cause for which we are battling; when they are made to understand the faithlessness and the dishonor of the German Government; when they come to a knowledge of the enormity of the crimes which the Kaiser has committed against civilization, they become better patriots and better Americans.

Their influence will extend throughout the home, and it will have the result of lighting the fires of patriotism in Bourbon country to burn as they have never burned before.

By all means let every graded and rural school teacher in the county give their pupils daily lessons about the war. We know of no better way for them to "do their bit."

### Women And Old Age.

A woman has declared that at 106 she is in better health and happier than at any previous time in her life.

Surely, a woman who is healthy at 106 ought to be happy. She would have to be happy to be healthy.

None but a happy disposition could carry one through so many years. A gloomy temperament would strangle life out of the body long before the age of 106.

The human body can no more thrive in shadow than can a rose. We live by desire to live. Enjoy-

ment of and zest in life are a constant source of life supply.

Old age ought to be the happiest period of life, particularly for a woman. If she has kept her mind active and has wisely refused to settle into the dull rut that people always have ready for her, she can begin in old age to enjoy life in earnest.

In old age there is no more worry about the babies, no more suffering for others. The children are grown up, and, if her part has been well done, they are a prop and a solace to her. Grand children are a delight without the bitter, constant worry.

The woman grown old in years should be at her best mentally. She is free to indulge her tastes, enjoy a good book and the conversation of genial minds.

Women retain their vitality and spirits longer than men do. The burdens of life fall from them gradually, and the peace of retirement from active duties come upon them little by little and almost imperceptibly.

### In Retrospect.

In contrast to the gayeties of seasons past, society has in prospect a quieter one than any in the memory of social leaders here, and elsewhere. Gradually as the world-war progresses the customary expressions of social life are curtailed and altered until society has developed a different phase from any known in the past. Those returning from summer resorts will, of course, find conditions almost completely changed.

Entertainments, except those of the simplest possible nature, are indeed things of the past. However, youthful buoyancy will find an outlet in dances, but these will lack the dash and color of those of yore. Knitting parties, Red Cross luncheons, and sales, and war relief benefits of various kinds, will supercede the gayer functions of before the war, and the weddings of soldier-bridegrooms and their brides will be simple ceremonies in contra-distinction to the pretentious ones of other days.

### PULL TOGETHER—DON'T KNOCK.

Every day THE NEWS sees things that might be legitimately criticised. It could follow on the trail of any public official, city or county, and make life miserable for him by picking flaws in his work, magnifying his small mistakes, or by harping on minor oversights or omissions.

It could keep the community more or less in a state of turmoil, make enemies where friendship have existed, and promote discord generally. But is this the time for such things? We do not think such a course is justified at any time by a newspaper, and certainly not now, when, if ever in the Nation's history, all our people ought to stand shoulder to shoulder in united and harmonious accord. Unnecessary agitation, nagging and fault-finding should be frowned down.

Such things hurt the community's reputation; they hurt business; they destroy the spirit of unity and effort which it takes to build up a city. No man should be encouraged in disrupting the peace of a community, no matter what his excuse, or how loud-mouthed may be his protestations of good intentions. Let's keep together and "Keep business as usual."

### FEW LOAFERS IN PARIS.

It is a very rare thing to see a loafer on the streets of Paris now. The vigorous campaign inaugurated against the vagrant and shiftless class several months ago by the city and county authorities had the effect of driving them to other places or of obtaining work of some kind.

There are a few, of course, who toil not nor soil their dainty hands by doing manual labor, but in every community there are some certain fellows whom the ravens would feed if kind-hearted relatives should cut off their food supply. There is no excuse for anybody being idle in or around Paris just now. With the departure of the Bourbon county boys, sixty-three vacancies in some lines of employment have been created, and there will be many more. Someone will have to replace them in the work necessary to carry on that which they left to go to the front.

### PRACTICING ECONOMY.

(Tit Bits.)

Donald McAllister, a Scottish farmer, was going to town for a day or two, and his daughter Maggie had a weary time listening to the hundred-and-one instructions he gave her as to care and economy.

"Mind the coal," "Don't waste any food," "Don't sit up burning light," etc.

Finally he set off, but in a moment he was back with a parting admonition.

"An' Maggie, there's young Angus. See that he doesn't wear his spectacles when he's not readin' or writin'. It's needless wear an' tear."

### HUGE PHOSPHATE RESERVES

Idaho, Utah, Wyoming and Montana possess vast deposits of high-grade phosphate rock. Although the phosphate areas are by no means completely surveyed, the amount of phosphate in the known deposits, as estimated by the United States Geological Survey, Department of Interior, is nearly five and one-half billion tons.

An idea of the immensity of this tonnage may be obtained by comparing it with last year's production in the United States of 1,980,000 tons.

With so many courts in session these are indeed trying times.

## OIL NOTES FROM THE OIL SECTION.

The Paris Oil & Gas Co., composed of Paris and Bourbon county capitalists, and Mr. N. B. Moss, one of the old-time oil men of Canada and the Western oil fields, have made location for oil well on the Blege Wise farm in the Pilot district of Powell county, and will begin drilling as soon as they can secure a drilling contractor.

Clay & Chiles, of Mt. Sterling, have a rig in Sore Heel Hollow, in Lee county and have contracted to drill two tests on the property of J. C. Brandenburg.

The Pluto Oil & Gas Company, brought in a well the past week on the Kentucky Block Coal Company's lease, near Cannel City, in Morgan county. The well has not been pumped, but it is estimated the production will be between 25 and 100 barrels.

In Montgomery county a rig has been erected near Willoughby Mountain, nine miles from Mt. Sterling, and drilling has been started on the first three deep tests which will be put down in this vicinity. A large lease is held in this section by Mr. A. B. McLeod, of Versailles, Ky., who is drilling tests.

The Pilot district of the Irvine field continues the center of oil activity in Central and Eastern Kentucky, with a number of satisfactory wells brought in during the past week. On the White Bros. & Huff lease, well number 22, brought in several weeks ago, is now being pumped with every indication of 300 barrels or better. Numbers 23 and 24 of the same company, near No. 22, have also been put to pumping and are producing 250 and 125 barrels respectively.

A well brought in by the Bush Farm Oil Company on the Bush lease, one mile southwest of Torrent, will be good for from 50 to 75 barrels a day, according to advance reports. Oil was struck in small quantities at 1,161 feet and when shot with 60 quarts of nitroglycerine the well filled up at the rate of 10 barrels an hour.

In Whitley county, the Empire Oil & Gas Company have begun several tests on their extensive holdings. The Sun Oil Company expect to begin drilling on their property as soon as machinery can be gotten on the ground.

In Morgan county, the Pluto Oil & Gas Company have a fair producer on the Kentucky Block Coal Co. property, near Cannel City. The new well has not been pumped and no conservative estimate can be obtained.

### AUSTERLITZ ITEMS.

—Miss Chloa Ross, of Covington, is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ross, near this place.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor were recent guests of friends and relatives in Winchester.

—Mrs. Charles Hadley has returned from a visit to Mrs. Brooksie Baber, in Lexington.

—Miss Sadie Newton has returned to her home in Winchester, after a visit to Mrs. W. C. Brock, in this vicinity.

—Miss Belle Cook has returned from a visit to friends in Winchester.

—Mr. Thuren Quisenberry, agent for the Louisville & Nashville at this point, was a recent guest of friends in Lexington.

—Mrs. J. R. Quisenberry and Miss Thelma Quisenberry attended the Association meeting at Providence.

—Miss Belle Cook was hostess recently at her home to a party of friends. Among the guests present and partaking of the pleasures of the evening were Misses Eva Mae Lockman, Maude Hostler, Angie Aldridge, of Winchester; Mary, Emma and Ethel Jackson, and Ida B. Craven, of this place.

### HAVE YOU A BAD BACK?

If You Have, the Statement of This Paris Resident Will Interest You.

Does your back ache, night and day?

Hinder work; destroy your rest? Does it stab you through and through?

When you stoop or lift or bend? Then your kidneys may be weak. Often backache is the clue.

Just to give you further proof, The kidney action may be wrong. If attention is not paid

More distress will soon appear. Headaches, dizzy spells and nerves, Uric acid and its ills

Make the burden worse and worse. Liniments and plasters can't Reach the inward cause at all:

Help the kidneys—use the pills Paris folks have tried and proved. What they say you can believe.

Read this Paris woman's account. See her, ask her, if you doubt.

Mrs. J. C. Feltman, S. Pleasant street, Paris, says: "A few years ago I was suffering with kidney complaint. My back was the worst source of pain and ached dreadfully. I found it difficult to bend or stoop. I had often read about Doan's Kidney Pills, and I used a box. They cured me of the attack. Whenever I have had any return symptoms, I have used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured from Oberdorfer's Drug Store and have received the same good results."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Feltman had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. (adv)

REDUCED RAILROAD RATES.

Next Monday, October 1, will be a great day for Lexington, for it is the opening day of Kentucky's great trotting meeting with the races for the Walnut Hall Cup and The Futurity for two-year-olds on the card. All railroads will sell round-trip tickets at reduced rates.

**Heap big mileage!**

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Savages are "keyed" by means of serial numbers. And are distributed by our own organization, not sold to middlemen in huge quantities and carried in stock sometimes for a year or more.

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Means Buy Your Winter Supply of Necessary Clothing Now.

When the time comes for us to replenish our stock prices will be greatly advanced. Present prices on Men's and Boys' Suits, Overcoats, Underwear, Shoes, Etc., are very reasonable at our store.

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New, Stylish  
**Fall Hats**

JUST ARRIVED!  
SEE THEM!

**HATS**  
**50c**

New Goods  
ARRIVING DAILY

Start Your Girl's  
School Clothes

Now. Come and inspect our stock.

We Sell Ladies' Home Journal Patterns. 10-15c; None Higher.



## NOTICE TO SICK WOMEN

**Positive Proof That Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieves Suffering.**

Bridgeton, N.J.—"I cannot speak too highly of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for inflammation and other weaknesses. I was very irregular and would have terrible pains so that I could hardly take a step. Sometimes I would be so miserable that I could not sweep a room. I doctored part of the time but felt no change. I later took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt a change for the better. I took it until I was in good healthy condition. I recommend the Pinkham remedies to all women as I have used them with such good results."—Mrs. MILFORD T. CUMMINGS, 322 Harmony St., Penn's Grove, N. J.

Such testimony should be accepted by all women as convincing evidence of the excellence of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound as a remedy for the distressing ills of women such as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, backache, painful periods, nervousness and kindred ailments.

### CAPITOL HOTEL TO BE REBUILT.

The Capitol Hotel at Frankfort, which was destroyed by fire last winter, is to be replaced by a modern five-story hotel of 100 rooms, which is to cost \$200,000. The Weitzel estate owns the property, and the promoters of the rebuilding plan hope to have the work under way at an early date, it was stated. It will not be completed, however, in time to accommodate the members of the next Legislature, many of whom are expected to make arrangements for spending the nights in Lexington.

### GOVERNMENT TRACES LIQUOR.

Gaugers and Storekeepers in the office of Collector of Internal Revenue Percy Haley are making inquiries of whiskey withdrawn since the law governing the manufacture of liquor went into effect. October 1 all dealers, wholesalers and retail, will be required to file reports with the Government of the quantity of liquor on hand. The law provides a penalty of \$2,000 for concealment of liquor to avoid payment of taxes; also persons so offending may be prosecuted for perjury.

## Big Special For Saturday

Pure Pork Sausage.....	30c
Pork Chops.....	30c
Pork Roast.....	30c
Best Steak.....	25c
Rib Roast.....	20c
Chuck Steak.....	20c
Country Bacon.....	30c
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Picnic Hams.....	25c
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## Wilmoth's Salt-Rising Bread!

## Angel Food Cake!

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### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

#### Comings and Goings of Our People Here, There and Elsewhere.

—Miss Belle Ogden is visiting relatives in Winchester.  
—Mr. Duncan Bell is at French Lick Springs for a short stay.  
—Misses Corinne Collins and Belle Horton, of Paris, were guests this week of friends in Maysville.  
—Mrs. Katherine Davis Craig has returned from a visit to relatives in Lexington.

—Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Renick are sojourning at West Baden Springs, West Baden, Indiana.  
—Mrs. Louis Lilliston, who has been very ill at the Massie Memorial Hospital, is slightly improved.  
—Several friends from Paris attended the funeral and burial of Mr. Matt Archdeacon, at Carlisle, Tuesday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Faulconer and little daughter have returned from a visit to relatives in Cannel City.

—Mr. Horace M. Collins was in Estill county several days this week on a tour of inspection of the oil fields.

—Mr. Harry Saloshin, of Cincinnati, is a guest of his mother, Mrs. Louis Saloshin, and family, on Pleasant street.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Preston, of St. Louis, Mo., have leased the residence of Mrs. A. P. Allis, on Duncan avenue.

—Mrs. E. B. January and daughter, Mrs. Fred Woods, have returned from a visit to friends and relatives in Lexington.

—Mrs. B. J. Brannon was a guest of her daughter, Mrs. George Fritz, and Mr. Fritz, in Lexington, several days this week.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Munsey are visiting relatives in Winchester. They will leave soon for their new home in Texas.

—Miss Jennie Talbott, who has been very sick for the past ten days at her home on High street, is very little better.

—Miss Edna Biggers has returned to her home in Maysville, after a pleasant visit to Misses Corinne Collins and Belle Horton.

—Mrs. Fayette Ardery and children have returned from a visit to Mrs. Ardery's mother, Mrs. Bessie Fennell, in Georgetown.

—Mr. Harry Rose was removed from his home in this city this week to the Massie Memorial Hospital, suffering with typhoid fever.

—Mrs. E. P. Claybrook, of Hutchinson, and Mrs. Gertrude Smoot, of Paris, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Worthington, in Maysville.

—Mrs. Lillian Wright and son, Mr. Lacey Wright, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Terrill, have returned to their home in Orange, Virginia.

—Miss Mary Allen Hutchcraft is very ill with typhoid fever at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Perry Hutchcraft, in East Paris.

—Maysville Daily Bulletin: "Miss Katherine Tierney, of Third street, has returned home after a two-weeks' visit with friends and relatives at Louisville, Lexington and Paris."

—Mr. Robert Shea, of Mitchell & Blakemore's forces, left Tuesday for a two-weeks' vacation trip to Buffalo, Philadelphia, Atlantic City, and other Eastern points, then to Chicago.

—Kimbrough Duvall, who has been in the West for several months, arrived Wednesday night from Jackson, Michigan, for a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Duvall, on Lilliston avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wickliffe, Jr., and Mrs. E. M. Wickliffe, Sr., have returned to their home in Lexington after a visit to Mrs. Henry Spears and daughter, Mrs. Eddie Spears Hinton, on Mt. Airy avenue.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hanley, who have been guests of Judge and Mrs. Denis Dundon, returned Tuesday to their home in Louisville.

—Mr. Hanley is General Manager of the Kentucky Distilleries and Warehouse Company.

—Mr. Roscoe Carmichael is recovering from injuries received Sunday in an accident near Seventh street, in which an automobile collided with the buggy in which he was riding. Mr. Carmichael sustained several cuts and bruises, but was not seriously hurt.

—The Paris boys in training at Camp Taylor, near Louisville, attest their appreciation of a good thing by returning thanks for recent copies of THE BOURBON NEWS, which in a postcard message from one of their number, "is better than a letter from home, and most certainly welcome."

—Winchester Sun: "Among the court day visitors to this city from Bourbon county were Ben F. Skillman, John S. Talbott, W. F. Bryan, J. L. Robbins, Houston Crouch, Chas. Hamilton, H. S. Caywood, W. A. Thomason and Mr. Buckley, of North Middletown."

—Messrs. Harry Rouse, Jr., and Prewitt Gumm are promoters of a subscription dance which will be given in the ballroom of the Phoenix Hotel, at Lexington, to-night. Music for the occasion will be furnished by the Smith Saxophone Orchestra. A number of Paris society people will attend the dance, which promises to be a most enjoyable one.

—Messrs. T. Hart Talbott and Wm. G. Talbott have as guest at their home, "Mt. Lebanon," near Paris, their brother, Mr. Dudley Talbott, of Los Angeles, California. Mr. Talbott left Paris twenty years ago, and has resided in Los Angeles continuously since. He is being warmly greeted by friends and acquaintances of the olden days.

—Mr. Robert L. Link, Jr., has returned to Camp Zachary Taylor, near Louisville, after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Link, Sr., on South Main street. Mr. Link has received an appointment as First Sergeant of Battery B., in the Field Artillery branch of the service at the camp. He is a graduate of the Paris High School, where he had military training.

(Other Personals on Page 5.)

### CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE KENTUCKY TENANTS' AND FARM LABORERS' UNION.

#### CONSTITUTION.

##### Purpose of the Union.

The purposes of this Union are to bring into co-operation and closer relations the tenants, landlords, and farm laborers of the State of Kentucky; to promote their best interests, moral, financial, and intellectual, by all lawful means; to promote and encourage a better feeling and understanding of conditions between landlord and tenant to the economic advantage of both classes; to remove from the tenant system now prevailing in Kentucky some of its objectionable features, as specified and set out in this constitution; and to secure better living conditions for said tenants and laborers, themselves, and their children, and by doing so to raise the standard and increase the efficiency of tenant and farm laborer's work.

##### Principles for Which the Union Stands.

In order to obtain and secure the aforesaid objects, and to remove some of the objectionable features now inhering in the tenant system of this State, we, the members of this Union, hereby agree to the following:

(1.) No member of this Union shall pay or exact house rent. The house rent referred to is the rent charged tenants and farm laborers by their landlords while engaged in the raising of crops upon the farms of said landlords. However, nothing herein shall be construed to apply to existing contracts. Not to be put into effect unless at least 75 per cent. of the tenants of the tobacco district agree to same.

(2.) That all tenant and farm laborer members hereof shall take good care of all the property, real or personal, of their landlords, which is submitted to their care, or over which they may have any control.

(3.) As the tenant must live while engaged in the raising of his crops and his stock must have the means of subsistence, be it resolved there should be furnished the tenant sufficient grass for grazing purposes for his necessary stock; what is necessary stock to be determined, as also the amount of grass necessary for same, by the facts of the particular case. It should be considered that horses, sufficient in number to cultivate the crops, milk cows, and meat hogs, in proportion to the size of the tenant's family, are necessary stock.

(4.) It is resolved that where the tenant furnishes everything to raise and care for the crops, he shall have one half of all said crops.

(5.) Where the landlord furnishes the teams and tools for the crops, then the tenant shall have two fifths of said crops. But tobacco is excepted from this provision, and in any event, is to be governed by section (4) herein.

(6.) On account of the general rise in wages in all trades and callings due to the more general high cost of living, it is considered, that it would be fair to all parties, to fix the minimum monthly wage at thirty-five dollars a month, where the month hand boards himself.

(7.) It is resolved that every tenant raising tobacco upon the shares should be allowed corn land by his landlord, also to be cultivated upon the shares. The amount of corn land to be allowed should depend upon the facts in each particular case; the number of acres of tobacco in cultivation and the size of the tenant's family being taken into consideration in making the estimate.

(8.) Every tenant and farm laborer member of this Union, it is resolved, shall reasonably do his best to cultivate and care for the crops in his charge. It is to the interest of all parties concerned, that this Union will tolerate no loafing, idling, and inefficiency. The members hereof shall give to their crops their best care and attention. This Union does not propose to carry or to assist the man who will not work, nor will it tolerate the inebriate, the dishonest member who deals dishonestly with the Union or with his landlord, nor the tough, or rowdy. This organization proposes to obtain its ends, as stated herein, by lawful means and any member who attempts any other means will be instantly dropped.

##### Organization.

This constitution shall be the Constitution for both the County Union, and also of the Local Unions, organized or to be organized, in the various precincts.

The further details of organization and government shall be worked out in the by-laws to be adopted.

This constitution shall be subject to amendment at any time by a two-thirds vote of all members present on any regular meeting night, provided notice of said proposed change has been announced for at least two weeks preceding said voting night.

The articles of Incorporation already filed for record in Bourbon County, Ky., shall govern and control all questions touching the organization and management of said Union, what officers are to be elected and the method of said election, in each case where the said articles cover said points; otherwise, the by-laws shall provide the manner thereof as the Union may direct.

Done at Paris, Kentucky, on this, the fourteenth day of September, 1917, by the committee heretofore appointed to draft this Constitution.

ALBERT McDUFFY,  
T. W. NAPIER,  
R. R. CARMICHAEL, Committee.

JOSEPH CARR, President.  
EARL ROBBINS, Secretary.  
CAIN MARTIN, Treasurer.  
[Advertisement.]

A woman dropped into the office and in giving material for an obituary stated her husband had been killed in a feud in Kentucky, whereupon the reporter asked if many people drive "feuds" down there.

Wheeling Register.

### "The Five Tires"



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### NEW OWNERS FOR OLDHAM ERA.

The Oldham Era, the only paper published in Oldham county, owned by M. G. Peak, A. A. Strange and G. W. Peak, will within the next few days become the property of W. L. Dawson, superintendent of the L. A. Dawson graded and Oldham County High School. The next issue will be the last to be published under the present ownership. Mr. Strange, who is the practical printer in the present firm, will remain with the new owner for a short time pending further arrangements. Mr. Dawson, who is under contract with the School Board, will fulfill his contract unless released by the board.

### EXPERIENCE IS THE BEST TEACHER

It is generally admitted that experience is the best teacher, but should we not make use of the experience of others as well as our own? The experience of a thousand persons is more to be depended upon than that of one individual. Many thousands of persons have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs and colds with the best results, which shows it to be a thoroughly reliable preparation for those diseases. Try it. It is prompt and effectual and pleasant to take.

(sept-adv)

### "THE FLY COP" AND "THE STAR BOARDER."

No moving picture comedian on the screen to-day can boast of a bigger following than King-Bee's favorite star, Billy West, who has played in ten of the funniest two-reelers ever produced.

Their last two releases, "The Fly Cop" and "The Star Boarder" are in such demand that the King Bee Film Corporation announces forty extra prints are being made to fill orders that have been received.

### For Rent.

Modern cottage of four rooms, in Rosedale Addition to Paris. Apply to HARRY L. MITCHELL, 735 Henderson St., Paris, Ky.

(18-1t)

### Administrator's Notice!

All persons having claims against the estate of John Allen will please present same properly proven according to law to the undersigned for payment.

E. J. ALLEN, Adm'r.  
Lexington, Ky.

(3t-F-pd)

### Wanted.

All kinds of second-hand furniture, carpets, rugs, stoves, etc. Cumberland Phone 780.

THE ARK.  
F. B. Thomas, Manager.  
(18-3t)

### FOR SALE

Pony, gentle, and good driver, with cart and harness. Call Home Phone 562 or 223.

(14-1t)

### Scrap Iron Wanted.

I am paying fifty cents per hundred for all kinds of scrap iron. Not less than 1,000 pounds. This material can be weighed at any city scales. This is to be delivered to the cars on the Louisville & Nashville tracks, opposite the freight depot.

Call us over the Cumberland 'phon 347-J.

MAX MUNICH,  
Eighth Street, Paris, Ky.  
(oct20-1yr)

### Home For Sale Privately

On account of Mr. Napier's passenger run being changed from Paris to Lexington and Cincinnati necessitating a removal to Lexington, I desire to dispose of my residence at the corner of Main and Second streets, in Paris, at private sale.

This is a substantial brick house, two-stories, has six large rooms, sleeping porch; two concrete porches; large garden and poultry yard; side and front yard. It is a first-class home and will be a bargain for the purchaser. It is in first-class shape. An inspection of the house and premises is invited.

MRS. JESSE S. NAPIER,  
126 Main Street.  
(4-1t)

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## CURIOUS "RUN" ON A BANK.

(William A. Shryer, in Leslie's)  
Suppose you were to be told that a certain bank in your town was besieged by a line of people over 200 feet long, and that they commenced to gather long before the doors were opened at 9 a. m.? Suppose you learned that the minute the doors were opened this crowd jammed into the lobby and, continuing to gather, refused to leave until each and every one had made his laborious way to the little cages that need no description? What would you think if you learned that it became necessary to call out the police department to handle such a crowd, which refused to relinquish their common object until six long hours past the time-honored hour every bank is supposed to close its doors?

If your experience with banks and bankers is that of the average man, it wouldn't be hard to guess that your answer to these questions would be, "A run on the bank, of course."

These things occurred in the city of Detroit on March 1 of this year, and the crowd of people that besieged this bank numbered over 6,000. It is possible that a few who needed a little money managed to fight their way to the cages of the paying tellers and withdrew their usual daily needs. Five thousand eight hundred and sixty-one of them, however, came for an entirely different purpose. They came to deposit money in that bank and refused to leave until they had done so.

In the light of preconceived notions about banks, one would be entirely justified in branding this story as a figment of the imagination, and yet it is true. The bank was the Highland Park State Bank of Detroit, and, what is more remarkable still, the bank had no hoary traditions of age to partially explain such a mark of confidence and trust. It was a new bank, the youngest in the city, and on this eventful day was celebrating its first anniversary.

## TO PRESERVE WRITING.

Attention was first called to the bleaching effect of the air and light on writing ink, as used in modern times, by the fact that signatures on certificates had become illegible through the fading of the ink, says a writer in the Journal of the Society of Chemical Industry. As it was impracticable to test a sample of ink by exposure of writing for a period of years, it was considered that a limited application of hydrogen peroxide would be the nearest chemical equivalent to the bleaching effect of the atmosphere. Writing done by different inks was exposed to light, the paper being occasionally moistened with a 3 per cent. solution of hydrogen peroxide, the result being that the handwriting gradually became invisible, in some cases more quickly than in others. The violet ink used for typewriters was less readily acted on, but was quickly bleached by sulphurous acid. If an ink could be produced possessing the desirable properties of perfect fluidity and being nondeposing, and at the same time incapable of being decolorized by oxidizing or reducing agents, there would be good reason to believe that the writing done by such an ink would be practically permanent. In the meantime, when writing is of an important nature and is desired to endure, some form of carbon ink appears to be the only trustworthy preparation.

## SPEAKING OF CHERRIES.

(Indianapolis News.)

A Ritter-avenue man who believes in masticulation and practices what he preaches was entertaining several guests at dinner a few evenings ago. Blackberry pie was on the bill of fare. Now, blackberry seeds are numerous and hard to dodge if one really chews, and they make a very audible pop when crushed. Little things like that, however, must not be permitted to interfere with health. Mr. Ritter Avenue things, and so he munched his way merrily through the pie, twenty-eight full strokes of the jaw to the forkful. His wife, to relieve herself of some slight embarrassment, made a facetious remark about the milling operations, which enabled the guests to look amused, which they may have desired to do before, but did not dare. But 9-year-old Ethel saved the day.

"Fahaw!" said she, "that isn't anything. You just ought to hear father eat cherries."

## RELIGIOUS.

—St Peter's Episcopal Church, Rev. George H. Harris, rector; Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; service and sermon at 10:45. You are cordially invited to attend.

—Rev. Frank W. Eberhardt preached his farewell sermon Sunday to the congregation of the Danville Baptist church. He will take charge of the Georgetown Baptist church next Sunday, having accepted a call to that church.

—The Endeavor Society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the court house Sunday evening at 6:45. Subject, "Home Mission Work Among the Immigrants." Leader, Miss Frances Butler.

—The Presbyterian church will hold services in the court house Sunday morning at 10:45 o'clock, and in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. The morning theme will be, "A Piece of Brass," and the evening theme will be, "Adam."

—The Woman's Society of the Christian church will hold its regular meeting in the church parlors this (Friday) afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Each member is asked to come and bring a friend. A special musical program will be rendered. A free will offering for the work will be taken for the Society funds.

—The Holiness prayer meetings which have been held in the auditorium of the old Bourbon College, will hereafter be held in the Masonic Temple, every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The meetings are being well attended. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services, which are always interesting and instructive.

—The regular monthly business meeting of the Woman's Bible Class of the Methodist church was held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Grant Galloway, on the Ford's Mill pike. There was a good attendance despite the rainy weather. After disposing of business matters the members of the class were guests of Mrs. Galloway in a social hour.

—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Tingle, on South Main street, last night, the members of the Epworth League of the Methodist church held their monthly social and literary session. The meeting was in the nature of "a tacky party" in which much ingenuity and originality was displayed in the selection of costumes.

—The revival meeting being conducted in the Mt. Sterling Christian church by Rev. Mark Collis, of Lexington, and the pastor, Eld. Clyde Darsie, is increasing in interest and attendance. The song service is in charge of Mr. A. L. Boatright, of Paris, of whom the Mt. Sterling Gazette says: "The song leader is A. L. Boatright, of Paris, who, while not well known here is considered one of the finest musicians in the State. He has led the congregational singing in several State Conventions and has a fine tenor voice of rare sweetness and feeling. Mr. Boatright will be compelled to be away on Sundays and on these days Mrs. Loring Turley will act as soloist and chorus leader."

## REGISTRATION DAY, TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2.

Voters who desire to take part in the election in November, should bear in mind that they will be required to register on Tuesday, October 2. This is very essential. Polling booths open from six a. m. to nine p. m., for voters. Let all register.

**TO TAX PAYERS**  
Tax receipts of the city for 1917 are now in the hands of City Collector Clarence Thomas, at the Peoples Deposit Bank. Call and pay them now.

J. T. HINTON, Mayor.  
(aug10-tf)

## DEVELOP THE WATER POWER

(Norwich, Conn., Bulletin, July 2, 1917.)

The problem of getting fuel is giving the people of this country cause for much serious thought. It is not because there is not sufficient amount of it, but because those who control the mines are exacting exorbitant prices and because the transportation systems of the country have not been able to meet the requirement of the coal users and take care of the tremendous amount of other service which has been demanded of them.

But the shortage, the high prices and the transportation trouble are by no means confined to this country. It is even worse among the belligerent nations of Europe and some of the neutrals which have been dependent upon belligerents for their coal supply. The result of the fuel situation here is that the Government has been forced to take a hand in relieving the shortage and high prices, and abroad attention has been directed to the development of new or previously little used sources of supply. In both instances some relief will be obtained but the entire problem is by no means solved, and yet while the effect of this condition is seriously bothering industries none too much attention appears to be devoted toward the development of hydro-electric stations. There are countries and in this country there are States which are not blessed with such natural resources, but New England certainly is and a vast and unappreciable amount of power is being allowed to go to waste every day and has been for centuries, and there could be imagined no better time for bringing about this needed development than the present. There is no better opportunity for the conservation of resources than in this very direction.

## TREE'S GREAT MISTAKE.

The late Sir Herbert Tree met the late Charles Frohman one morning in Piccadilly.

"Frohm," he said, "that little chap Barrie has gone out of his mind. He read me a play last evening that was madman's work, every line of it—a four-act play about children and fairies and Indians, with the most improbable plot you ever listened to! I turned it down, of course, and little Barrie said defiantly that he'd read it to you, Frohman, so beware! Beware, my boy, and ta-ta!"

So saying, the tall and willowy Tree swung jauntily away, quite unconscious that he had just refused "Peter Pan," the most profitable play of the Twentieth century.

## Piano For Sale.

A finely-finished mahogany square Steinway piano—a splendid instrument—for sale at a bargain. Call at residence of Dr. J. T. Brown, on Main street.

(28-tf) MISS ELIZABETH BROWN.

## Public Sale of Bank Stock.

I will sell at the court house door at Public Auction, on Monday, Oct. 1, 1917, (court day) at 11 o'clock a. m., seven shares of the capital stock of Peoples-Deposit Bank & Trust Co.

M. F. KENNEY, Auctioneer.  
(28-1t)

## To The Public!

The merchants of Paris recently signed agreements to close their stores as follows: Grocery stores at 7 p. m. and Saturdays 11 p. m. Other lines of business at 5 p. m., excepting Saturdays. Some of our merchants are doing all they can to live up to their agreement, while others find all kind of excuses to extend the time of closing. One of their main excuses has been that customers will delay their purchases to the last minute, and by entering stores at the closing hour make it difficult for merchants to close their stores as agreed upon.

The Merchants Protective Association of Bourbon County at its last meeting directed by an unanimous vote that the undersigned make an urgent appeal to the public to kindly assist the merchants by making all their purchases so as not to conflict with this closing arrangement.

There must be reason in all things. A business or household conducted without order and system cannot bring complete success. Remember success does not mean money alone—but also means "Happiness, Harmony and Good Health."

The mechanic and ordinary day laborer will not work over 10 or 8 hours per day. This, you will agree is exactly right. But why then should we expect a merchant to work from 6 a. m. to 10 or even 12 p. m., or from 12 to 18 hours per day?

The merchant desires good health and wants to live as long as others. He wants to enjoy the company of his wife and children at evening during the week as well as only on Sundays. Two hours extra rest each day means all this for him and better service for you on the next day. No doubt you believe this is right and are willing to grant him and his clerks and porters this necessary rest. Then why not help him to live up to his pledge and make your purchases accordingly?

To those merchants who have so far failed to close their stores as promptly as they agreed, we appeal again, "For the good of all, as well as your own welfare, let us stand together and work like one man."

To those merchants who so far have failed to fall in line on the closing agreement, we extend an earnest appeal to "Come and work together with us for a common cause," and to the public we appeal for their encouragement and co-operation in this movement, because we believe it right.

Signed—  
FRED WECKESSER, Chairman.  
WM. GRANNAN, Secretary.  
Business Men's Protective Association  
Bourbon County, Ky.  
(28oct-1mo)

## EXAMINATION OF COLORED TEACHERS TO-DAY.

An examination of colored applicants for county teachers' certificates will be held to-day and tomorrow in the office of Miss Mabel Robbins, County Superintendent of Schools, in the court house.

## Miss Katherine Marsh's

Kindergarten Class

Will Open on Friday, September 28, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Talbott, on High Street. Call Miss Marsh over phone for particulars.  
(28-3t)

## Estray Taken Up.

Taken up as a stray on the farm of Jos. Clay and Miss Letitia Clay, on the Winchester pike, near Paris, a black-and-white Poland China sow. Owner can obtain same by proving property and paying charges. (28-tf)

## LOST

Buck Sheep, will weigh about 150 pound, strayed from our place at Jackstown. Marked on hip with "o o o" on right hip. Reward for return or information leading to recovery.

McCONAUGHAY & SON, Carlisle, Ky.  
Route 1.  
(28-3t-pd)

## Public Renting

—OF—  
Bourbon County Farms

The undersigned will offer at public renting on

Saturday, October 13, 1917

at 11 o'clock, a. m., at the Court House door, Paris, Ky., the farms of Jos. H. Clay, containing 479 acres of land, for the year beginning March 1, 1918, located near Escondida Station, about five miles from Paris, to be cultivated as follows: 80 acres in hemp; 8 acres in tobacco; 124 acres in corn, (now in meadow); 167 acres in wheat (now in corn); and 100 acres to remain in grass. No sugar-cane to be grown. Renter must cut weeds.

Said farms contain a comfortable dwelling and necessary outbuildings, two substantial tenant houses, tobacco barn, are well watered, and have two pass-ways to Escondida Station.

TERMS: Negotiable note, due March 1, 1919, bearing 6% from maturity. Right reserved to reject any or all bids.

FRANK CLAY, Trustee Jos. H. Clay.  
M. F. KENNEY, Auctioneer.

At the same time and place, the undersigned will offer at public renting for the year beginning March 1, 1918, a portion of the farm of Miss Letitia Clay, containing 209.40 acres, located on the Winchester Turnpike, about 5 miles from Paris, to be cultivated as follows: 66.52 acres in hemp; 91.24 acres in corn; and 51.64 acres to remain in grass. No sugar-cane to be grown. Renter must cut weeds.

Also a tract of 50 acres of land belonging to George Clay, fronting on the Winchester Turnpike, and adjoining the abovefarm—7.76 acres in hemp; 20.64 acres in corn; and 21.50 acres to continue in grass. No sugar-cane to be grown. Renter must cut weeds. Said 50-acre tract contains a comfortable dwelling, outbuildings, and two tenant houses, spring house, etc. Both farms are well watered, convenient to market by rail or turnpike, and will be shown to prospective bidders from the residence of Miss Letitia Clay, or by the undersigned.

TERMS: Negotiable notes for equal parts of the rental price, payable respectively on September 1, 1918, and March 1, 1919, bearing 6% from maturity. Right reserved to reject any or all bids.

H. C. HOWARD, Agent for Miss Letitia Clay, and Committee for George Clay.  
M. F. KENNEY, Auctioneer.  
(sept28-oct2-5-9-12)

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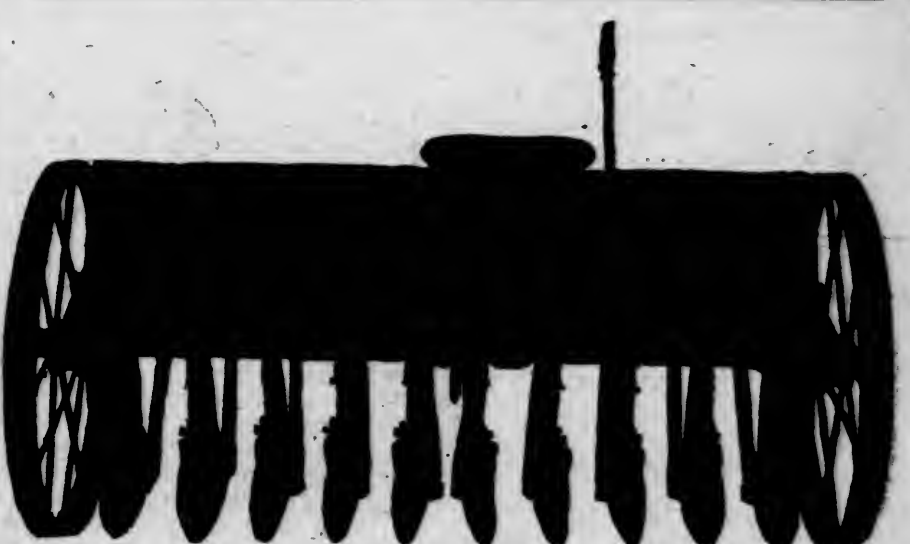
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## Superior Features

Double Run Positive Force Grain Grain Feeds.

Sow all known seeds, both large and small.

Adjustable Disc Wind Shields

Take up wear. Prevent trash from catching between disc and wheel.

Both right and left ground wheels drive all the feeds. Conductor Tube Tops permit connection of grass seed spouts so grass seed can be sown in rows. Reducing Plates for alfalfa, millet, flax, etc. Angle Steel Frame reinforced with I-Beam Steel Bed Rail. Hoppers of Large Carrying Capacity.

Oscillating Drag Bar Heads  
(Single Disc only)—give greatest clearance of trash.

Disk Wheel and Sliding Pinion  
For change of quantity.

Folding Safety Levers

Take up least room in storing.

Two-Part Axle Hangers

Not necessary to strip axle in case of accidental breakage.

# C. S. BALL GARAGE

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Even Sowing Means Even Growing

# WANTED! Army Mules!

We Will Be in Paris on Court Day  
Monday, October 1st

to buy army mules for the United States Army. Mules from 1,000 to 1,200 pounds and 5 to 10 years old wanted.

BRING YOUR MULES IN!

# GENTRY, THOMPSON & CO.

LEXINGTON, KY.



**Winters & Co.**  
FOR THE BEST  
NOTHING ELSE

**WHEAT, RYE AND TIMOTHY SEED.**  
We have a limited supply of OhioGrown Fultz Wheat of very fine quality. Also seed rye and timothy seed, all reclaimed and tested.

**CHAS. S. BRENT & BRO**  
(sept 14-7)

**THE BEST SCHOOL SHOES.**

For reliable school shoes, go to Feld's Shoe Store. (11-ft)

**REGISTRATION DAY.**

Tuesday, October 2, will be registration day for all voters who desire to participate in the November election. The polling booths will be open from six a. m. to nine p. m., to accommodate voters. Let all register.

**JUNIOR RED CROSS BRANCH**

A junior branch of the American Red Cross has been organized in Paris by the pupils of Mrs. Fannie Sutherland's private school. Knitting for the French orphans will occupy the time of the girls, while the boys are devising various ways of raising funds for the cause while awaiting instructions as to work.

**STETSON HAT HEADQUARTERS**

Most every good style and color from Stetson, we have this season—\$4.50, \$5 and \$6.

**J. W. DAVIS & CO.**

**NEW LINE ROBES AND BLANKETS. TARPULINS AT LOW PRICES.**

Just received a nice line of robes and blankets, also tarpulins at a saving.  
**FARMERS SUPPLY COMPANY.**

**PUBLIC RENTING.**

Attention is called to the advertisement in this issue of the public renting, on October 13, of the Jos. Clay lands, on the Winchester pike, near Paris. These lands are in a high state of cultivation and should make a good investment for some one who desires a good farm.

**"LEARNING TO FLY."**

Landrum Payne, of Paris, according to a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Payne, is "trying his wings" and learning to fly as an aviator. Young Payne is in an U. S. aviation training camp on Long Island. He writes that he has made several flights of 11,000 feet in the air, and expects to become proficient enough to be assigned to the service in France.

**PARIS MAN HONORED.**

At the State Convention of the Christian church, held in Campbellsville, last week, Prof. Thos. A. Hendricks, Superintendent of Schools of Paris, was unanimously elected President of the State Bible School Association.

Prof. Hendricks has been one of the hardest workers in this city in the interest of Sunday school work, and has been an important factor in building up the Men's Bible Class of the Paris Christian church. His selection to head the State organization is a testimonial to his ability as a leader and a teacher.

**SOAP AND SOAP POWDER.**

Soap and Soap Powder at 5 cents. (1t)  
**C. P. COOK & CO.**

**NEXT CALL FOR 20 PER CENT QUOTA INSTEAD OF 40.**

Only 20 per cent instead of 40 per cent of the quota to be furnished to the new National Army by those States will be sent to Camp Taylor, at Louisville, October 3, in the next increment from Indiana, Kentucky and a part of Illinois, it has been learned.

Orders to this effect have gone to Governor A. O. Stanley and to the Governors of Indiana and Illinois, it was said by heads of passenger traffic officers, who declare the orders transmitted to them took in all three States. No reason for the change in plans was advanced.

There are now just over 22,000 men at Camp Taylor and this number will be increased by 10,000 with the arrival of the 20 per cent.

**PATRIOTIC SPEAKING THIS WEEK IN BOULEBON COUNTY.**

The Rev. J. M. Maxon, of Versailles, Kentucky, will speak in Millersburg, Friday evening, September 28, at 7:30 p. m., at the hall of the Millersburg Institute.

Mr. Nat Sewell, State Inspector, will speak in North Middletown, Saturday evening, September 29, at 7:30 p. m.

Dr. John J. Rice, pastor of the Presbyterian church, in Paris, Kentucky, will speak at the Court House, in Paris, on Sunday afternoon, September 30, at 3 o'clock.

It is hoped that every one in the county will hear at least one of these speeches, which are intended to help keep alive the fact that we are at war, and that each one of us has "a bit" to perform in this war, and that "bit" should be the very best we can do.

**SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.**

**Comings and Goings of Our People Here, There and Elsewhere.**

—Mr. Duncan Bell returned yesterday from a sojourn at French Lick Springs.

—Deputy Sheriff W. G. McClintock left last night for a business trip to Washington, D. C.

—Miss Emma T. Smith is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Taylor, in Cynthiana.

—Mr. Gideon Tucker, of Cincinnati, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Horace M. Collins and other relatives in this city.

—Mrs. P. H. Lane, of Philadelphia, will arrive to-morrow to be the guest of Mrs. Swift Champe for several weeks.

—Mrs. R. S. Crowder, of Lexington, is a guest of Mrs. Elizabeth Dundon, at her home on Houston avenue.

—Dr. Frank Roche, of Lexington, is making a vacation visit to his mother, Mrs. Thomas F. Roche, and family, on Pleasant street.

—Mrs. Ruth Allen left Wednesday for her home in Pittsfield, Ill., after a two-weeks' visit to her brother-in-law, Mr. H. C. Allen, near Paris.

—Mrs. S. J. Wilson and little daughter, of Paris, are visiting her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Chandler, near Moransburg, in Mason county.

—Mr. B. F. Graziani, prominent Covington attorney, was a guest Wednesday of his brother, Mr. J. B. Graziani, of the Paris Ice Manufacturing Co.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Frank and children, Robert, Jr., and Hallie, are expected home to-night from Saranac Lake, New York, where they have been spending the summer.

—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Fithian, who were recently married in Louisville, have returned there after a short visit to Mr. Fithian's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. N. Fithian.

—Mrs. Wm. K. Griffin and little daughter, Blanche, will leave the first of next week for a visit to Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Morehead, in Earlington, Ky.

—Mr. George Glenn, of the A. J. Winters Co., who underwent an operation for appendicitis some time ago at the Massie Memorial Hospital, is improving rapidly at his home near Paris.

—An operation for the removal of adenoids and enlarged tonsils was performed at the Massie Memorial Hospital, in this city, Wednesday on Miss Mabel Connell. The little patient is doing nicely.

—Miss Mary Allen Hutchcraft continues quite ill with typhoid fever. Misses Mary Bradley and Katherine Wilson, who have been seriously ill for several weeks with the same disease, are improving, and able to sit up.

—Mr. and Mrs. Clay Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Best Skillman and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Allen have returned from a trip to Mammoth Cave. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Allen left immediately in their automobile for their home in Wisconsin.

—Miss Edith Hancock, who has been a patient at the Massie Memorial Hospital for several weeks, suffering with typhoid fever, is convalescent, and has been removed to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Hancock, on Main street. Her many friends are glad to note her rapid progress toward recovery.

—Mrs. Carrie F. Stone has returned from Carlisle, where she has been for several weeks nursing cases of typhoid fever in the homes of Mr. D. M. Curry, formerly of Paris, and Mr. Jas. T. Shannon. Mrs. Stone is making preparations to leave with Dr. Barrow's Base Hospital Unit for France about October 8.

—Miss Cora Belle Rye, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Rye, of Mt. Airy, has resigned her position as saleswoman in the W. Ed. Tucker store, where she has been on duty for eleven years, and has accepted a similar position with the W. L. Northcutt Dry Goods Co., at Cynthiana. Miss Rye was one of the most popular members of Mr. Tucker's sales forces.

(Other Personals on Page 3)

**SUES FOR DIVORCE.**

Suit for absolute divorce has been filed in the office of Circuit Court Clerk Wm. H. Webb, in this city, by Mrs. Nannie Clay Howard, against her husband, Edward Wherritt Howard, of Paris. In the petition Mrs. Howard alleges that the defendant had been guilty of cruel and inhuman conduct toward her, and that he has behaved toward her in such a manner as to indicate a settled aversion to her, and that she was not in like fault. The petition prays for absolute divorce, costs of the action and all other just and equitable relief.

**PATRIOTIC WEEK.**

Governor Stanley has set aside this week as "Patriotic Week" in Kentucky, and in all parts of the State the week is being observed with appropriate programs. No special program, save speeches at different points in the county has been made here, but Paris and Bourbon county people are showing their patriotism just the same.

**BREAKS ARM.**

While attempting to climb over a stone wall on the Fifth street side of his home, at Fifth and Pleasant streets, "Major" Thomas Owings slipped and fell to the pavement. He now has a broken arm to remind him of the incident. "Major" Owings is resting very comfortably.

**NEW DIRECTORY ISSUED.**

The new city directory of Paris, compiled and issued by the Hoffman Printing Co., of Quincy, Ill., who make a specialty of this class of work, is just off the press, and is being delivered to subscribers by representatives of the concern.

The new book is a complete one in all respects and fully justifies the confidence placed in the promoters when they began the work.

Mr. Wm. G. Hoffman, president of the Hoffman Printing Co., came to Paris with his representatives to see that the work of delivery was properly carried on. Aside from this Mr. Hoffman confessed to a desire to see the Bluegrass region of Kentucky, and especially Bourbon county and Paris, of which he had heard so much. Mr. Hoffman said he had heard from Kentuckians in Chicago and other parts of Illinois where he had visited, of the beauty of the Bluegrass region in the early fall, and of the wonderfully fine turnpike system. He said his visit fully justified all the praise he had heard.

Mr. Hoffman was a member of the Illinois legislature a few years ago, and while in that body, drafted and successfully engineered the passage of what is now known as the Illinois Good Roads bill, which has done more than anything to foster and maintain good roads in that State.

Mr. Hoffman was greatly pleased with the appearance of Paris and with the people he had met. "You have a good town, splendidly located, with natural advantages that ought to be utilized, but you need manufacturing to help the city along," he said. A very patent and palpable fact, as we all know, but which will probably never be realized.

**LANDS FOR RENT.**

Read the advertisement in this issue of the public renting of the Jos. Clay lands. This farm is one of the best in the county and would make a fine prospect for an investor.

**IT'S ECONOMY TO PAY \$25**

For your suit or overcoat. We have the same high grade material and workmanship in our \$25 clothes as always.

**J. W. DAVIS & CO.**

**COMPLETES COURSE OF SURGICAL DRESSING.**

Mrs. May Stoner Clay, of Paris, has completed the course of five lessons in surgical dressing which she has been giving a class of Red Cross workers in Cynthiana. Mrs. Clay went to Cynthiana yesterday for the purpose of examining the work done by her pupils.

She expects to leave for Washington City next week where she will spend two weeks making a close study of the new and scientific methods of surgical dressings and hospital methods in teaching new classes here and elsewhere.

**FRESH FISH TO-DAY—DRESSED TO ORDER FREE.**

Fine fresh fish received fresh for to-day and to-morrow. Remember, we dress them to order free of charge.

**MARGOLEN'S SANITARY MEAT MARKET.**

**MONEY SAVERS FOR AUTO USERS AUTO OIL AND ACCESSORIES**

We save you money on all kinds of auto accessories and auto oil.  
**FARMERS SUPPLY COMPANY.**



**ECONOMIZE!**

You cannot afford to use carbon electric lamps, when they consume three times the current for the same light—even though free.

**USE MAZDA TUNGSTEN LAMPS**

10, 15, 25 and 40-Watt 27c  
60-Watt ..... 36c  
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**Daugherty Bros.**  
Paris, Kentucky

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**Coats Suits  
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**NOW DISPLAYING A COMPLETE LINE OF THE**

**NEWEST FALL HATS**

In smartest styles of Silk Plush, Velour, Zibeline Plush and Velvet.

**Autumn Suits**

In Velour, Broadcloth, Burilla and Poplins, displaying the smartest of style features. Most moderately priced—

**\$20.00 to \$75.00**

**Autumn Coats**

Plush, Silk Velour, Burilla and Broadcloth, in the fashion's latest decree as to style and color—

**\$10.00 to \$75.00**

**Autumn Dresses**

In Serges and Silks. The styles are most charming in many new colors and materials; moderate in price. They are the leading garments of the season—

**\$5.00 to \$40.00**

**Autumn Waists**

In Georgette, Crepe de Chene, Plain and Fancy Styles. Displaying the newest styles features—

**\$2.98 to \$15.00**

**SUMMER WASH SKIRTS SPECIAL!**  
Smart, Pretty Styles in Fancy Materials, Prices from \$5.00 to \$12.50, AT HALF PRICE!

**HARRY SIMON**

**One Price To All**

**NOW COMES**

**THE TIME OF YEAR TO PUT AWAY SUMMER CLOTHES!**

**We Have Just Received Some Beautiful**

**CEDAR CHESTS**

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**MATTING BOXES**

**We are also showing a very complete line of**

**RUGS**

**At the Lowest Prices.**

**THE J. T. HINTON CO.**

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**"EITHERPHONE" 36**

**SIXTH AND MAIN STS.**



GREAT FAITH IN CHAMBERLAIN'S  
COLIC AND DIARRHOEA  
REMEDY

"Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy was used by my father about a year ago when he had diarrhoea. It relieved him immediately and by taking three doses he was absolutely cured. He has great faith in this remedy," writes Mrs. W.H. Williams, Stanley, N. Y.

(sept-adv)

A hero is generally a man created by novelists and playwrights.

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Cabinet Range

A beautiful line of Garlands on display. Come in and look them over.

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Joy  
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THERE'S a heap of joy in a ton of good coal. Your stove or furnace won't have much trouble from extracting comfort from a ton of coal if you buy it from us. Our rapid delivery will please you.

W. C. DODSON

South Main St.

The Home of Good Coal

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Household Helper

Peruna eases the burden of the housekeeper by keeping away the danger of illness resulting from colds, coughs, and indigestion due to catarrhal condition. It speedily relieves and overcomes these.

Its tonic properties build up the strength of the physically weak and run down, and its use in convalescence, especially after grip, is remarkably beneficial.

**KEEP IT ON HAND**

The wise housekeeper has Peruna on hand for instant use even if catarrhal troubles do not call for its regular administration. A dose or two in time often prevents a long illness.

Liquid or tablet form.

Manning Tablets are a splendid laxative for home use.

Ask the druggist

THE PERUNA COMPANY  
Columbus, Ohio

## ECLIPSE AT SOUTH POLE.

(Rochester Post-Dispatch.)

At the last meeting of the American Astronomical Society, Prof. William F. Rigge called attention to some remarkable features of the annular eclipse of the sun which will occur December 13, passes through the South Pole of the earth; hence the eclipse will be visible in all longitudes and at all hours of local time.

The most curious fact which Prof. Rigge brought out in connection with the eclipse is this: If we think of the South Pole as lying at sea level, then the central line passes about four miles from the Pole, and the axis of the shadow cuts the prolongation of the earth's axis 9,107 feet above the pole. But from the reports of Amundsen and Scott we know that there is a lofty plateau at the pole with an elevation of about 10,000 feet. In view of this elevation of the ground, it may be said that the central line of the eclipse passes exactly through the South Pole.

## THE PACING KINGS.

The kings of pacers meet at Lexington on Wednesday of next week to do battle for The Phoenix Hotel Prize, and what a race it will be! Amongst those named to start are William 1:58 1/4, Single G 2:00, Butt Hale 2:02, Russell Boy 2:00 1/4, Miss Harris M. 2:01 1/4, Hal Boy 2:01 and Ben Earl 2:00 1/4, and so evenly are they matched that no horse seems able to win two races in succession. Last week Miss Harris M. won, but it will take a prophet to tell the winner over Lexington's fast track next week. All the railroads will sell round trip tickets to Lexington at reduced rates.

## WIFE WOULD APPRECIATE IT.

A minister home from the trenches has been recounting his experiences among the Scotch regiments, and one of the interesting stories he tells of a wounded Jock whom he found rather depressed and on being asked whether he would like to dictate a letter home, he assented, says Tit-Bits. Thereupon the minister brought a table with writing materials to his bedside. However, he found Jock tongue-tied and unable to begin, so much so that the parson said, after a while:

"Come along, now; I'm in a hurry. We must make a start."

"What will I say?"

No reply.

"Will I begin, 'My dear wife?'"

"Aye," said Jock, "pit that doon. That'll amuse her."

## BOURBON FARMING CONDITIONS

Tobacco cutting has occupied the attention of the Bourbon county farmers during the past week and they have been putting in their best licks to get the remunerative weed housed before the frost gets at it. The biggest job now staring the farmers in the face is the forthcoming sowing of rye, wheat and barley. Corn, however, is still green, and will not be ready to cut for a week or so, the numerous rains having kept it in this state.

Almost all the hemp in this county is in the shock, and the time for corn shucking has not yet arrived.

Hogs are bringing good prices, seventeen cents on foot being the prevailing price. Good prices have been demanded for the young mules which have been raised here this season, and there have been quite a number of buyers from other States prospecting for this class of stock in this vicinity. There have been more horses and older mules offered for sale as well as younger ones than for several seasons past. The recent rains have made the fall grass good, and this will be advantageous for all kinds of stock.

Plenty of beans are yet to be had, and watermelons and canteloupes are abundant and delicious. The last straggly grapes have been gathered and many are busy converting green tomatoes, peppers and onions into pickles. Tomatoes have sold as high as \$2.25 per bushel during the past week, and potatoes very scarce owing to the drouth, are now being sold at \$1.40 to \$1.60 per bushel. Roasting ears are tender and are now being sold at thirty cents per dozen. Eggs are selling at fifty cents per dozen, and it is very hard to get cream for butter, because foreign markets are offering nearly \$2 per gallon for good cream, and feed is so high that farmers are profiting by selling the cream.

## WILL NOT SEIZE HOME FOODS.

There is no truth in a widely circulated statement that the Government expects to take food supplies from any family. Both the Food Administration and the Department of Agriculture join in a statement to counteract what seems to be a deliberate propaganda to the effect that the Government intends to take from every family all canned goods put up in excess of 100 quarts.

This is only one of the variations of the rumor, which has been widely circulated. Another statement is that the Government has been urging the canning, drying, and preserving of fruits and vegetables so that they will be in a convenient form for the Government to handle and transport when it takes them away from the people. Further elaboration is that these goods are to be taken from the American homes and shipped to England.

In one instance a motorist stopped at a farmhouse to fill the radiator of his automobile. In the course of conversation he casually inquired whether the farmer's family was canning all the surplus fruits and vegetables in order to help conserve the food supply. He was informed that the farmer was not doing this because the Government intended to take all the canned goods away except a small part of it actually needed by the family itself.

The authorities state emphatically that no such course has ever been contemplated by the Government. On the contrary, both the Department of Agriculture and the Food Administration are strongly urging housewives to can and preserve, especially at this time, all surplus fruits and vegetables in order that the households themselves may have a cheap and plentiful supply of food.

## CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED

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## MABEL TRASK 2:02 1/4.

After being beaten by St. Frisco 2:01 1/4 at Poughkeepsie, Hartford and Syracuse, Mabel Trask came back at Columbus, Ohio, last week and defeated this wonderful stallion in a most desperate race. But can she beat him twice? That will be decided at Lexington's Great Trot. The other probable starters for the Castleton Cup are Zomrect 2:03 1/4, Early Dreams 2:04 1/4 and Ross B. 2:04 1/4.

## HAS A HIGH OPINION OF CHAMBERLAIN'S TABLETS.

"I have a high opinion of Chamberlain's Tablets for biliousness and as a laxative," writes Mrs. C. A. Barnes, Charleston, Ill. "I have never found anything so mild and pleasant to use. My brother has also used these tablets with satisfactory results."

(sept-adv)

## UTILIZING OLD TIN CANS.

(U. S. Commerce Report.)

The country-wide desire for economy and the present high cost of pig tin has led to many inquiries regarding the possibility of utilizing old tin cans. The following facts are presented for the information of those interested: Tin cans may be utilized in several ways. First, they may be "de-tinned," the products from this process being steel scraps (used in open-hearth furnaces), tetrachloride of tin (used in the silk-dyeing industry), pig tin (used in making tin plate), rabbit metal and solder, and solder ashes (refined into solder). Second, friction top cans may be cleaned and reused in the household. Third, the caps may be removed from used cans, which may then be filled with paints, chemicals, etc., and new caps applied. There are at least two tin-denting companies in this country that utilize old tin cans. The two companies purchase tinplate scraps from can makers and others and old tin cans from junk dealers and community organizations. From 10 to 25 per cent. of their capacity is devoted to old tin cans.

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## BARBED WIRE AND THE WAR.

(St. Louis Globe-Democrat.)

The part that barbed wire has played in the war is reflected to some extent by the foreign commerce reports. This is peculiarly an American product, the Blüden invention having been first utilized on a large scale by John W. Gates at St. Louis. The descriptions from the front show the effective use made of this simple invention, which the late Senator Ingalls said was suggested by the manner in which he milk cows avoided bramble bushes. It was woven and twisted into a barrier that seemed impregnable until the British developed the use of artillery in such amazing fashion. The study of fortifications has been followed from the beginning of human history and it is a singular fact that a simple fencing device, designed for an untimbered country should surpass every other obstacle to progress of a modern army.

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## PEOPLE OF THE AMAZON.

One of the most interesting explorations of modern times is that which the University of Pennsylvania has conducted in the Amazon basin. Many of the wild tribes in that unknown jungle region were visited by white men for the first time when the expedition reached their villages. Nearly all of them treated the scientists hospitably, many of them erecting special huts and offering all possible aid and information.

These Indians of the South American interior are now for the most part in the same condition as the North American Indians were during the early Spanish explorations of this country—that is, they have not yet been corrupted or diseased by contact with civilization. Most of them are remarkably healthy and well developed. They live largely by hunting, fishing and gathering the fruits of the jungle. Most of them cultivate nothing but cassava, which is a staple food among them. The development of agriculture is checked by the fact that almost all materials grow wild in abundance.

There is even a species of wild cotton which the women gather and spin. Houses are built of poles thatched with palm leaves. Many of the Indians sleep in hammocks woven of plant fiber. Their way of life is surprisingly clean and sanitary. Indians of the Parikutu tribe, for example, bathe several times a day, using bamboo scrapers in lieu of Turkish towels.

## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Kentucky has been admitted to the Registration Area of the U. S. Census Bureau. If this State is to prove herself worthy of this honor, it is absolutely necessary that the following injunctions be rigidly carried out:

All births occurring in any month must be reported in ten days. Each item of certificate must be carefully filled in and parents instructed to never change the child's name without due process of law, as the record immediately become legal on signature of attending physician or midwife.

The census bureau at Washington will receive transcripts of every birth record and these will be used in compiling statistics. Any omission on the certificate will be promptly noted and queried.

## DO SPIDERS KNOW?

Employees of No. 3 mill of the Mount Vernon-Woodberry Cotton Duck Company were greatly excited when two cobwebs were found, one on each side of the grate. The spider on the right had made his web in a form which spelled out in bold letters "War ends in September," while his neighbor on the left told in letters just as plain, "Victory for America."

The words were discovered by one of the factory girls. An expert in draftsmanship could not have formed the letters more perfectly.—Exchange.

Hint to amateur farmers: One way to remove weeds is to marry the widow.

# FOURTH SERIES LIBERTY BONDS OFFERED TO PUBLIC.

The fourth series of short time treasury certificates of indebtedness issued in anticipation of the second Liberty Bond issue has been offered to the public by the treasury. The issue, \$400,000,000, is larger than any yet offered at the department, and bears interest at a higher rate, 4 per cent, as authorized in the war credits loan. Previous issues have not borne higher than 3½ per cent interest.

The total of certificates in advance of the second Liberty Bond issue now amounts to \$1,250,000,000.

Like those of the preceding offering, the new certificates will be convertible into Liberty Bonds at par, and will be exempt from all income taxation except the surtax on incomes of more than \$5,000.

The treasury department reserves the right to redeem the entire \$400,000,000 issue at par and accrued interest upon ten days' notice at any date. The subscription books will remain open until October 2 and the certificates will mature September 15 next.

The offering will be placed through the federal reserve bank and is open not only to bankers, but to the general public.

# EXPLORERS DESCRIBE "FIRST WONDER OF THE WORLD."

Safe return to civilization, after a successful tour of the "Valley of 10,000 Smokes," the National Geographical Society's Mount Katmai expedition, was announced in a telegram to the society headquarters at Washington, D. C., from Robert F. Griggs, head of the expedition, now at Kodiak, Alaska.

Griggs' message declares that in the light of the expedition's discovery the valley will stand as the first wonder of the world. Instead of "10,000 smokes," as the vast volcanic area in Alaska is now known, the valley is said to have literally millions of active vents in a space of a hundred square miles.

The survey of the exploration party proves, according to the message, that Katmai is the greatest crater on the face of the globe, being more than nine miles in circumference and 3,600 feet deep. The party also discovered a mud river seventeen miles long, and mapped 1,600 miles of territory hitherto uncharted. Two thousand photographs of the great volcano and the contiguous territory were secured and a complete collection of plants, insects, birds and geological data is being brought back to the United States. Gases from the vent are also being brought back for chemical analysis.

This expedition, which is expected back in Washington about October 5, set sail for Mount Katmai region from Seattle on May 28, fully equipped in every particular to complete the work begun by the society's earlier expeditions of 1913, 1915 and 1916.

## WHEN YOUR CROP IS HARVESTED

When your crop is harvested do not allow the ground to grow in weeds. This only means more weeds next year. Clean up the space, and if there is time plant in something else. In planting the succeeding crop it should differ as widely from the first as possible. For instance, peas can be planted where potatoes have been, or beans where beans, but never follow with plants of the same type, for requiring the same nourishment, they exhaust the ground and put nothing back.

A winter cover crop should be planted on the ground not occupied with late or winter vegetables. This is an interesting way of fertilizing the ground. All pod-growing plants, called legumes, enrich the soil through the action of bacteria growing on their roots.

The bacteria forms little sacks or nodules on the roots and, by the action of their bodies, extract the nitrogen from the air and deposit it around themselves as nitrates. Thus the soy beans (soja) are constantly putting nitrogen into the ground and are of additional value if plowed into the ground after the seed is gathered.—Mrs. Alex Caldwell in September Southern Woman's Magazine.

A new seaport recently built by the Government on the east side of the Island of Luzon will shorten the voyage to the Philippines from American ports by three to five days.

# SIGN PLEDGE TO SAVE FOOD. WEEK OF OCTOBER 21.

Every family in Bourbon county is expected to offer its co-operation in the country-wide campaign about to be launched for the conservation of the nation's food supply, and word has been received here that Mr. Fred M. Sackett, of Louisville, Federal Food Administrator for Kentucky, has indicated it to be his opinion that Bourbon county will not fail to heed the advice for stopping wastage of food in the homes. According to Mr. Sackett the national administration anticipates the heartiest co-operation in every American home and regards the elimination of waste in the kitchen as a vital factor in the successful prosecution of the war.

On Sunday, October 21, volunteer members of the various county organizations will begin a house-to-house canvass in every county of the State, and householders everywhere will be asked to sign cards pledging themselves to avoid wasting food and to follow such general directions for the conservation of food as may be issued from time to time by the United States Food Administration.

It is estimated there are 551,152 families in Kentucky and that the average number of persons in each family is four, and upon each of these will devolve the duty of living up to the pledge given the government by the head of the household. The task will not be a difficult one, and if met conscientiously and cheerfully the work of the Food Administration will show some splendid results immediately.

"It would be a shameful thing," said Mr. Sackett, "if when the final figures are announced Kentucky is found to be lagging in this her prime duty of the moment. At Washington it is estimated that of the total number of families in each State approximately 75 per cent. will sign the pledge cards. I anticipate that Kentucky will beat this record and that 90 per cent, or possibly a larger figure than that, will take the pledge to aid the Government in this great emergency. Ours is a great opportunity. If we grasp it promptly we will place ourselves on record with those who wish to win the war quickly and at the same time relieve food, that otherwise might be wasted, to our needy allies over the seas."

The following general suggestions have been made by the Food Administration as helpful in meeting and making effective the Government's aims in conserving the food resources of the country:

Buy less; cook no more than necessary; serve smaller portions.

Use local and seasonable supplies.

Patronize your local producers and lessen the need of transportation.

Preach and practice the "gospel of the clean plate."

We do not ask the American people to starve themselves. Eat plenty, but wisely, and without waste.

Do not limit the plain food of growing children.

Do not eat between meals.

Watch out for the waste in the community.

You can yourself devise other methods of saving to the ends we wish to accomplish.

Under various circumstances and with varying conditions you can vary the methods of economizing.

Kentucky was one of the first-rank States in the matter of food production this year. Her people, in cities and towns, as well as on the farms, nobly responded to the call for more vegetables and grain. The harvest has been plentiful and now the advantage thus gained must be protected by guarding against waste.

Food that is thrown out is wasted.

The government has no desire to ask its people to deprive themselves of whatever food they need; neither is it intended to dictate to them what they do with the supply they have laid up. They may use it themselves, sell it, or give it away. All that is urged by the Government is that no good food be wasted.

## SHERLOCK HOLMES IS POSTED AS A SLACKER.

(New York World.) Chicago.—The local offices of the Department of Justice will now have to out-Sherlock Sherlock Holmes. This gentleman of international fame has disappeared on the eve of battle, so to speak. In any event, he failed to show up for physical examination before local board No. 50, and the board has reported him to the Federal authorities.

Those most familiar with the famous detective predicted he would appear at the "psychological moment," and hazard the guess that he is somewhere lost in reverie over a pipeful of his well known tobacco. Members of local board No. 50, being practical patriots, have declined to "await developments," and have reported him as delinquent, much to the dismay of Holmes' thousands of young and old admirers.

Dink Binks is another who has failed to show.

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# STOCK, CROP, ETC.

—Richard H. Wills, of Paris, bought forty head of fine horses at Flemingsburg, Monday.

—The herd of Duroc hogs of Coldstream Farm, on the Newtown pike, near Lexington, under the management of George Clayton, formerly of Bourbon, has taken 65 premiums at three Southern State fairs.

—Mr. R. H. Jordan, of Atlanta, Ga., is in this county looking for good horses. While here he visited most of the stock farms and made a number of purchases.

—At Winchester this week P. C. Lisle of this county, sold a weanling mule to Clark county parties for \$90. R. L. Penn bought a horse mule from L. B. Burgher, of Winchester, for \$90.

—Two hundred and fifty-six sheep were sold by Auctioneer B. B. Peak, at Georgetown, Tuesday, at prices ranging from \$13 to \$16 per head. Fifteen buck lambs sold for \$5 to \$10.25 per head, thirteen bucks at from \$10 to \$20 each. Three steer calves brought \$32 per head; two mule colts brought \$55 and \$75.50 each; three heifers sold for \$25 per head.

—Boots, winner of the Suburban and Brookdale handicaps this year, and probably the best horse in the stable of A. K. Macomber, had to be destroyed at Lexington, last week, the result of breaking his leg. The gelding was in the paddock and stumbled in a hole, causing the injury. Mr. Macomber is said to have paid \$35,000 for Boots when he purchased him.

Chas. Best of Paris, was one of the leading winners with his stable of show horses at the Tennessee State Fair, at Nashville, last week. He was first in the 3-gaited saddle class with Mi Lady Jane; first in the heavy harness class with Jack Wadsworth; first in the fine harness team, and second in saddle sweepstakes with Charming King.

## A ROAD TAX WITHOUT BONDS OR DEBT.

In many counties the people are willing to vote a good road tax, but they do not want to create a bonded debt or any debt, and to permit the people in any county to vote a road tax without debt or bonds there was passed at the special session of 1917 an act that allows any county to vote an annual tax in any sum not exceeding 20 cents on the one hundred dollars to be used in building new roads and repairing old ones. Already several counties have voted this tax and will collect it this year.

The tax can be voted at either a special election or the regular November election. Counties that want this tax can vote it by a majority vote at the next November election and have the benefit of it on the roads next year, as the Fiscal Court can borrow next spring 80 per cent. of the amount the tax will raise and begin work on the roads early in the year, paying the borrowed money out of the tax collected in that year when collected; and under this act no debt can be created in any year that can not be paid out of the tax collected in that year. The books must be balanced at the end of each year and there is no debt to be carried over. The money raised by this tax need not be used on Inter-County-Road or State Roads.

It can be put on any road or bridge that the Fiscal Court wants to build or repair.

The tax voted may be 5, 10, 15 or 20 cents on the one hundred dollars and it may be voted for one year or any number of years not exceeding ten. All counties that want good roads without bonds or debt and that can not raise enough money under the present 50 cents tax to keep the roads in repair should vote this tax. Get a copy of this new law from your County Clerk or write to me and I will send you a copy. Vote the 20 cents tax at the November election and begin your road work next spring.

RODMAN WILEY, State Road Commissioner.

## BISHOP TO BE WITH SOLDIERS AT THE FRONT.

Bishop William Lawrence, chairman of the recently organized war commission of the Protestant Episcopal Church, announced that the Rev. J. M. McCormick, Bishop of Western Virginia, would sail for France early in October, to represent the commission in its work for the men of the army and navy at the front.

The commission plans to raise \$500,000 to be used in reinforcing and equipping army and navy chaplains, strengthening the activities of parishes near the camps, and follow up in helpful ways the men of the church who are in the service of the nation.

A rope three inches in diameter and 1,000 feet long has been found in Beattyville, Ky. Probably it is intended for use in hanging that well-known outlaw, Bill Hohenzollern.—Richmond Virginian.



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### SATURDAY.

### "A Limb of Satan"

Gold Seal drama. "Her Daring, Carving Ways." L-KO comedy in two parts. "Bobby, Boy Scout," Vitagraph comedy.

Alamo at night, Evert Overton and Miriam Fouche in "Soldiers of Chance," Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature.

### MONDAY.

Mae Murray in

### "The Primrose Ring"

From the story of Ruth Sawyer. Produced by Lasky Feature Co. Paramount Pictograph; also a Kiever Comedy with Victor Moore.

### MILLERSBURG

—Mr. Clemon Insko is no better.  
—Miss Esther Tarr improves slowly.

—Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cumber moved Monday to rooms in Ingels flat, from Paris.

—Mr. N. P. Rice, of Hutchison, was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. F. E. Peterson, Monday.

—Mrs. D. B. Dunn was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson, at Wilmore, from Monday till Wednesday.

—Regular meeting of Amity Lodge No. 40, R. and A. M., Tuesday, at seven-thirty p. m. All members are urged to be present.

—Rev. and Mrs. R. G. Goldsmith have returned from the bedside of her brother, Mr. Daniel, at Owen-ton, who is improving from an attack of typhoid fever.

—Mr. Joseph Corrington, of Little Rock, Ark., was the guest of his brother, Mr. C. W. Corrington, Tuesday and Wednesday. He was enroute to his home, after a visit to his son at Ithaca, N. Y.

—Morris Young, colored, underwent an operation Tuesday morning by Dr. J. D. Calhoun, at his office, assisted by Dr. Stern, of Paris. In August, Young was accidentally shot in the eye, which made the operation necessary.

The many friends of Mr. R. B. Boulden will be glad to learn that he is improving nicely, after a severe sick spell at his home in Pueblo, Colo., and will regret to learn that his son-in-law, Mr. L. M. West, with whom he resides, is quite ill.

A neighborhood meeting of the Frankfort District of the Woman's Missionary Society, will be held Tuesday, October 2, at the Methodist church, in Millersburg. Mrs. Lambkin, District Secretary, will be present and preside at the meeting. All members of the various missionary societies of neighboring towns are invited and urged to be present.

—Mr. W. H. Ammerman, son of Mr. Edward Ammerman, of Millersburg, who has been holding a lucrative and responsible position in St. Louis, passed the examination for the draft army, and, though having good grounds for claiming exemption, waived his rights, and was accepted. Mr. Ammerman left St. Louis, Saturday, at the head of a group of eighty men for Ft. Riley, Kansas, where he will go into training.

—Twelve head of mules which were being driven from Paris to Millersburg, late Tuesday afternoon, by two colored men for Mr. Bert McClintock were run down by an automobile driven and owned by Mr. A. B. Boon, of Cowan. One of the mules was badly crippled, one of the colored men sustained a slight injury, and three of the occupants of the automobile were considerably bruised up. The machine was slightly damaged. The wounds of the occupants were dressed by Dr. Calhoun.

—Mrs. Elizabeth Powling, aged about fifty-five, died Monday at six-thirty p. m., of cancer, at the Jewish Hospital, in Cincinnati.

Mrs. Powling was formerly Miss Elizabeth Hutsell, and was born near Millersburg, where her early life was spent. When quite a young woman she was united in marriage to Mr. John W. Powling, of Carlisle, where the happiest years of her life were spent. Some years ago Mr. Powling died, and she was left with no immediate family. At the time of his death he was owner and editor of the Carlisle Advocate. This estate being bequeathed to his wife, she disposed of it, selling the paper to Mr. James Tilton, after which she came to Millersburg to make her home with and take care of an invalid aunt, Mrs. M. E. Martin. About two years ago she was stricken with paralysis, from which she never recovered.

Some months ago the dread disease from which she died began to manifest itself, and about a month ago she was taken by her attending physician, Dr. W. C. Dailey, to Dr. Stork, at Cincinnati, who used the radium treatment on her successfully. She was brought home much improved. On Sunday, September 16, she was taken again to Cincinnati, where she underwent an operation by Dr. Stork. The operation was a success and for more than twenty-four hours she did exceedingly well. On Saturday evening uraemia set up and she grew rapidly worse until the end.

The remains were sent Tuesday to the home of Mr. J. H. Bryson, at Carlisle, who was a relative and a life-long friend of Mr. and Mrs. Powling. After a short funeral ser-

vice at the grave all that was mortal of Mrs. Elizabeth Hutsell Powling, was laid to rest by the side of her husband in the Carlisle Cemetery. She is survived by two brothers, James Hutsell, of Mt. Sterling, and Tice Hutsell, of Pueblo, Colo. Quite a number from Millersburg attended, including her invalid aunt, Mrs. M. E. Martin, who will feel her loss most keenly, as those two invalid ladies have been inseparable during the two years they have both been confined to their homes.

### DEATHS.

#### VEACH.

—The funeral of Mr. James L. Veach, a former resident of North Middletown, who died Sunday in Lafayette, Ind., was held in the North Middletown Cemetery, Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. Services were conducted by Rev. John Christopherson at the grave. The body arrived in Paris, Monday morning and was taken to the home of Mr. Thomas Wells, in North Middletown, from where the funeral took place. Mr. Veach died in St. Elizabeth's Hospital, in Lafayette, after a short illness of a complication of diseases. He is survived by his wife, formerly Miss Lillie Bryant, of Winchester, three small children, two brothers, one sister and his mother.

#### McLAUGHLIN.

—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret McLaughlin, aged seventy-four, who died at her home, 226 East Maxwell street, in Lexington, Tuesday afternoon, after a protracted illness, was held at St. Peter's Catholic church, in Lexington, at nine o'clock, yesterday morning, with services conducted by the Rev. Father William Pynch. The pall-bearers were Thos. D. Murray, W. M. Irvine, John Malanay, John Feeney, Thos. Smith, Jas. McAllister, and Martin Doyle. The burial followed in the Lexington Catholic Cemetery.

Mrs. McLaughlin was a native of County Roscommon, Ireland, and was the widow of the late Martin McLaughlin, who for many years was keeper of the Fayette county workhouse. When only seven years old she was brought to this country from Ireland by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dowd. Mr. and Mrs. Dowd lived in Lexington for a short while, and then moved to Paris, where they made their home for several years. Mr. Dowd conducted a large buggy and wagon-making and blacksmith shop at the corner of Main and Seventh streets, on the site now occupied by the department store of Chas. S. Goldstein. They returned to Lexington, where they continued to reside until their deaths. She was married on January 10, 1863, to Mr. McLaughlin, who died thirty-two years ago. Mrs. McLaughlin will be well-remembered by the older citizens of Paris, where she lived so many years. She was a devout member of the Catholic church, and her entire life was one of usefulness to the community.

Mrs. McLaughlin reared four sons and three daughters, who became useful factors in the life of Lexington. Their childhood was spent partly in Paris, they residing at the old home now occupied by Mrs. Thos. A. Higgins and family, on Seventh street. All four, with the fifth son, Mr. John McLaughlin, who lived in another State, were present at her bedside when the end came.

Mrs. McLaughlin is survived by these children, who are Matt. J. McLaughlin, a prominent horseman; Ed. McLaughlin, Thos. McLaughlin, at present Deputy Sheriff of Fayette county; James McLaughlin; Miss Nannie McLaughlin, Mrs. Auval Baker and Miss Margaret McLaughlin, instructor in journalism at the State University. She is also survived by one sister, Mrs. Thos. A. Higgins, of Paris, and three grandchildren, Margaret and Jack Butler, and Matt McLaughlin, Jr.

### BIRTHS.

—To the wife of Mr. Gilbert Martin, of near Hutchison, a son, christened Clarence Edgar.

—To the wife of Mr. George Fritz, of Lexington, a daughter, first born. The mother was formerly Miss Mary Brannon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Brannon, of Paris.

—To the wife of Mr. J. Kiser Smith, of Paris, a son, christened Paul Smith. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Lena Tebbis, of Cynthiaana.

### MATRIMONIAL.

—Marriage licenses were issued this week from the office of County Clerk Pearce Paton to Mr. W. S. Hall and Mrs. Frances Lail, and Mr. John Hiram Smith and Miss Bessie McCord. All the parties are from Bourbon county.

#### McWHORTER—COLLINS.

—At his residence in this city Monday, Rev. W. E. Ellis performed the ceremony uniting in marriage Miss Nannie McWhorter, of Lexington, and Mr. Shirley Collins, of Carlisle. The bride is a former resident of Millersburg, and the groom is employed in a Carlisle garage. After the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Collins returned to Carlisle.

#### TURNER—DYKES.

—The marriage of Mr. Daniel Dykes and Miss Myrtle Turner, both of Richmond, took place at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Mr. Motherly, in Richmond, Tuesday. The groom is a grandson of Mr. T. Dykes, of Paris, and the bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Turner. Mr. and Mrs. Dykes are guests of Mr. Dykes, in Paris, before returning to Richmond to make their home.

#### LAIL—HALL.

—The marriage of Mr. William S. Hall, who resides near Kiser-ton, and Mrs. Frances Lail, of Paris, took place Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. L. J. Spencer, in Lexington. The wedding was witnessed by Mr. William Lail, of Paris, a son of the bride, and Mr. L. M. Kern. The license was procured from County Clerk Pearce Paton, and the wedding party motored to Lexington for the ceremony.

The bride is the widow of the late Mr. T. Lail, who was for many years superintendent of the Peacock distillery at Kiser-ton, and the groom is a young farmer, of near Kiser-ton. Mr. and Mrs. Hall returned after the ceremony to the home of the groom, where they will reside.

#### BUCKLER—SIEBERLING.

—Friends in Paris have received news of the engagement of Miss Henrietta Buckler only daughter of Judge and Mrs. J. August Buckler, of El Paso, Texas, to Lieut. John Frederick Sieberling, of Akron, Ohio. The marriage will take place at the home of the groom-elect's parents, at Akron, early in October, and will be an event of social importance.

Judge Buckler, father of the bride-to-be is a former resident of Paris, where he was for many years a leading member of the Bourbon county bar. Mrs. Buckler is a native of Lawrenceburg; Miss Buckler is a young woman of more than ordinary beauty and culture. Lieut. Sieberling's family occupies a high social position in Akron.

#### SULLIVAN—THORNTON.

—In the presence of an audience that filled the big church, Miss Mary Margaret Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jere Sullivan, formerly of this county, and Mr. Roger Thomas Thornton, of Buffalo, New York, were married at St. Paul's Catholic church, in Lexington, Wednesday morning at nine o'clock. The Rev. Father Louis Fey officiated for the marriage ceremony and High Mass was celebrated. The church was beautifully and artistically decorated for the occasion.

The best man was the groom's brother, Mr. Cornelius Thornton, while the maid of honor was Miss Catherine Sullivan, sister of the bride. The bridesmaids were Misses Marie Furey, Nellie Heafey, Mary Brannon and Margaret McCarthy; the ushers Messrs. Frank McCarthy, Edgar Johnson and Cecil Harp.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jere Sullivan, on West Third street, and a wedding breakfast was served. In the drawing for the emblems of fate in the bride's cake, the ring fell to Miss Agnes Sullivan and the dime to Miss Annie Heafey. The bride's bouquet was caught by Miss Elizabeth Toohey, of Paris.

After the wedding breakfast and saying of good-byes, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton left for a trip to Washington, D. C., and Philadelphia, thence in about ten days to Buffalo, New York, where they will go to house-keeping in a pretty apartment furnished by the groom for his bride.

A large number of Paris and Bourbon county friends and relatives of the handsome bride witnessed the ceremony.

### AS OTHERS SEE KENTUCKY AND KENTUCKIANS.

"God help the Germans, I've been drawn!" shouted a Louisville man, straightening up and facing the crowd when he was accepted. The same spirit in which Ethan Allen demanded the surrender of Fort Ticonderoga: "In the name of the Great Jehovah and the Continental Congress."—Tampa Tribune.

Thomas Harrison, of Calhoun, Ky., suggests that the first step in conservation of food should be the killing of millions of useless dogs, and as we've heard of no lynching in that part of Kentucky, we presume the man still lives. But just let him, or anyone else go to putting the suggestion into effect, if they want to start trouble—we've tried it.—Estero, Fla., American Eagle.

Congressman Ben Johnson, of Kentucky, puts himself among those who would take all the joy out of life. He argues at some length to prove that Washington is not the capital of the United States, but that the District of Columbia has the honor; but we think we can floor the Congressman. He can't deny that the Capitol is at Washington!—Montgomery Advertiser.

### STOCK, CROP, ETC.

—Caywood, Smith & McClintock sold this week to G. W. Jordan, of Hawkinsville, Ga., nineteen mules and six mares for \$5,250.

—Caywood & McClintock delivered this week to Lew Taylor 32 feeders at 9 cents; to Dr. M. H. Dailey 40 feeders at 9 cents; to Geo. K. Pepper 36 at 9 cent, and 40 to Harvey Rogers, of Clark county, at 9 cents.

—Whitt & Pruett, of Knoxville, Tenn., sold a carload of Percheron mares at the M. J. Murphy & Co.'s stock yards Monday, which averaged \$90 each, as follows: Four to Mrs. Nellie Stoker Highland for \$500; one to Claude Weathers for \$100; nine to Ed. Burke for \$800; two to Thos. Toohey for \$165; one to Henry Fuhrman for \$90; one to Henry Dodge for \$100; two to W. O. Korias for \$160; one to Matt Bedford for \$100; one to W. R. Finney for \$105. The mares were raised in Nebraska especially for farm work.

### EGG OF PREHISTORIC OSTRICH BROUGHT HERE.

(New York Tribune.)

Forty eggs of the modern hen are required to fill the eggshell of the gigantic prehistoric ostrich which has been placed on exhibition in the American Museum of National History.

The specimen is the best of its kind in the world and is in perfect condition, with the exception of a small hole through which the original contents may have disappeared. The fossil shell, when filled with water, was found to have a capacity of a trifle more than two quarts.

This egg was discovered in the Province of Honan, China, in June, 1915. It was seen sticking in the bank of the Yellow River, where it modern times.

The natives declared the egg was that of the Ho-Ho bird, or Phoenix, the legendary creature whose image appears on so many of the Oriental decorations.

Two imperfect eggs of this fossil ostrich, besides the perfect museum specimen, are in existence, and are in museums in the United States. No scientist has seen even a bone of the great biped which laid these enormous ovoids.

The largest ostrich egg known is equal to from twenty-five to twenty-seven hen eggs, and the volume of the egg of that huge prehistoric bird, the Repyornis, an egg of which is also on exhibition in the museum, is equal to 148 hen's eggs.

The newly acquired specimen has been placed in the bird hall, where it may be compared with the eggs of many species of ancient winged creatures and with those of the birds of modern times.

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